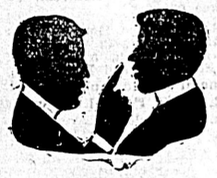
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PRESIDENT McKINLEY DIED THIS MORNING

The End Came Gradually, in Spite of Every Effort by the Physicians to Prolong His Life.

He Took an Affecting Farewell of His Devoted Wife Just Before Lapsing Into Unconsciousness.

Buffalo, Sept. 14.---President McKinley died at 2.15 this morning.

Milburn House, Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 13.—President McKinley died at 2:15 a. m. He had been unconscious since 7.05. His last conscious hour on earth was spent with his wife, to whom he had devoted a life-time of care. He died unattended by a minister of the gospel, but his last words were an humble submission to the will of God in whom he believed. He was reconciled to the cruel fate to which an assassin's bullet had condemned him, and faced death in the same spirit of calmness and peace which marked his long and honorable career. His last conscious words reduced to writing by Dr. Mann, who stood at his bedside when they were uttered, were as follows: "Good-bye all, good-bye; it is God's way, His will be done, not ours." His relatives and members of his official family were at the Milburn House except Secretary Wilson, who did not avail himself of the opportunity, and some of his close personal and political friends took leave of him.

This painful ceremony was simple. His friends simply came to the door of the sick room, took a longing glance at him and turned tearfully away.

He was practically unconscious during this time. But the power of the heart stimulants, including oxygen, employed restored him to consciousness for his final parting with his wife. He asked for her, she sat at his side and held his hand. He consoled her and bade her good-bye. She went through the heart-trying scene with the same bravery and fortitude with which she has borne the grief of the tragedy which ended his life. The immediate cause of the President's death is undetermined. His physicians disagree, and it will probably require an autopsy to finally fix the exact cause.

The President's remains will be taken to Washington and there will be a state funeral. Vice-President Roosevelt, who now succeeds to the presidency, may take the oath of office wherever he happens to hear the news. The cabinet will of course resign in a body and President Roosevelt will have an opportunity of forming a new cabinet if he so desires.

The rage of the people of Buffalo against the President's assassin when they learned today that he was dying, was boundless. Thousands surrounded the jail and the police force of the city and two regiments of soldiers were necessary to secure his protection.

Buffalo, Sept. 13.—Before 6 o'clock it was clear to those at the President's bedside that he was dying, and preparations were made for the last sad offices of farewell from those who were nearest and dearest to him. Oxygen had been administered steadily, but with little effect, in keeping back the approach of death. The President came out of one period of unconsciousness only to relapse into another. But in this period, when his mind was partially clear, occurred a series of events of a profoundly touching character. Down-stairs, with tear-stained faces, the members of the cabinet were grouped in anxious waiting. They knew the end was near and that the time had come when they must see him for the last time on earth. This was about six o'clock. It was an awful moment for them. One by one they ascended the stairway, Secretary Root, Secretary Hitchcock and Attorney-General Knox. Secretary Wilson also was there, but he held back, not wishing to see the President in his last agony. There was only a momentary stay of the cabinet officials at the threshold of the death chamber. Then they withdrew, the tears streaming down their faces, and the words of intense grief choking in their throats.

After they left the sick room, the physicians rallied him to consciousness and the President asked almost immediately that his wife be brought to him. The doctors fell back into the shadows of the room as Mrs. McKinley came through the doorway. The strong face of the dying man lighted up with a faint smile as their hands clasped. She sat beside him and held his hand. Despite her physical weakness, she bore up bravely under the ordeal.

The President in his last period of consciousness, which ended about 7:40 o'clock, chanted the words of the beautiful hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee." His last audible conscious words, as taken down by Dr. Mann at the bedside, were: "Good-bye, all, good-bye; it is God's way. His Will be done."

Then his mind began to wander, and soon afterwards he completely lost consciousness. His life was prolonged for hours by the administration of oxygen, and the President finally expressed a desire to be allowed to die. About 8:30 p.m. the administration of oxygen ceased and his pulse grew faint, very faint. He was sinking gradually, like a child into an eternal slumber. By 10 o'clock the pulse could no longer be felt in his extremities, and they grew cold.

Below stairs the grief-stricken gathering waited sadly for the end. One of the last to arrive was Attorney-General Knox, who reached the house at 9:30 p.m. He was permitted to go up-stairs to look for the last time upon the face of his friend. Those in the house at this time were: Secretaries Hitchcock, Wilson and Root, Senators Fairbanks, Hanna and Burrows, Judge Day, Col. Herrick, Abner McKinley (the President's brother), and his wife, Dr. and Mrs. Mary Barber, Miss Mary Williams, Mrs. McKinley's cousin, the physicians, including Dr. McBurney, who arived after 3 o'clock, J. M. Milburn, John N. Scatcherd, Harry Hamlin, all of this city, Secretary Cortelyou and a number of others.

At 9:37, Secretary Cortelyou, who had been much of the time with his dying chief, sent out formal notification that the President was dying. But the President lingered on, his pulse growing fainter and fainter.

11:58 p. m.—When Dr. Janeway arrived the President was just barely alive.

There was no need for official bulletins after this. Those who came from the house at intervals told the story that the President was dying and that the end might come at any time. His tremendous vitality was the only remaining factor in the result and this gave hope only of brief postponement of the end. Dr. Mynter, thought he might last until 2 a. m. Dr. Mann said at 11 o'clock that the President was still alive and would probably live an hour. Thus minutes lengthened to hours, and midnight came with the President still battling against death.

Vice-President Roosevelt had been notified early in the day of the critical state of affairs, and word had come from him that he was on his way in a special train. There was no longer a doubt that in the approaching death of the President a complete change in the executive administration of the government would ensue.

When Mr. RooseVelt would take the oath of office was wholly a matter of conjecture. President Arthur took the oath at 2 a. m. after the death of Garfield, and in that case Justice Brady of New York administered the oath. There is no requirement that the oath shall be administered by a justice of the United States Supreme court although that procedure is adopted when circumstances permit. Without unseemly haste, the cabinet will tender their resignations, and the new President will then be free to initiate his own policy, and choose his own cabinet. There is little possibility tonight that Mr. Roosevelt will get here.

Milburn House, Buffalo, Sept. 13.—The President is slowly dying. Secretary Cortelyou sent this announcement from the house at 9:30 tonight. At the same time Dr. Mynter, who had just come from the sick room, said that there was hardly a pulse left and the body was getting cold, although the President's vitality was so strong that he might last until 2 o'clock in the morning. But he might die at any moment. The extremities are now cold with the approach of death. The last sad offices about the bedside have been said and the President has lapsed into unconsciousness after a brief period.

The administration of oxygen has been suspended for some time. The President, before he finally lost consciousness bid his wife a tender farewell. He was heard to murmur words of the hymn, "Nearer My God to Thee," probably his last words.

During his conscious moments Mrs. McKinley was brought into the chamber and there was an affecting farewell. Members of the cabinet, one by one, saw the President momentarily, and there was a hushed exchange of leave taking. Then the President softly chanted a hymn. Just before he lapsed into unconsciousness he begged the doctors to let him die. At 9:40 p.m. everyone within the house and in the great crowd outside is awaiting the announcement of the end.

Governor Yates of Illinois, who is here, issued the following proclamation, postponing Illinois Day: "In view of the serious change in the condition of the President within the last few hours, it is thought best to postpone indefinitely all arrangements and exercises in connection with Illino's Day. If in the providence of God the President shall recover, the state of Illinois can show her interest in the Pan-American exposition and her rejoicing by naming another Illinois Day."

10:30 p.m.—The last period of consciousness was spent with Mrs. McKinley at the bedside of her dying husband. She bore her affliction with superb fortitude.

Milburn House.—The President's last words were addressed to his wife—"God's will, not ours, be done."

The Sixty-Fifth and Seventy-Fourth regiments of the National Guard have been assembled in their barracks to be in readiness shou'd the large crowd assembled at police headquarters make any hostile demonstration. There has been no indication of a disposition on the part no indication of a disposition on the part of the crowd to riot, and the assembling of the National Guard is simply a precautionary measure.

10:40 p.m.—Dr. Mann said the President was still alive and might linger for an hour longer.

Washington, Sept. 13.—A premature announcement of the President's death was given out at the White House by chief operator Montgomery shortly before 6:30 o'clock, and was recalled a few minutes later. In explanation it was stated that the operator at the Buffalo end of the White House wire had been handed a bunch of official messages announcing the President's death and immediately began rushing them off.

North Creek, N. Y., Sept. 13.—Vice-President Roosevelt started at 6 o'clock this morning from Tahawus Club with guides on a hunting trip through the forest. On receipt of the despatches stating that President McKinley was critically ill, men were immediately started in search of him. Up to 5 o'clock it was impossible to locate him, but he was finally found on the top of Mount Darcy, a distance of 10 miles from the club house, at which point the despatches from Buffalo were delivered to him. The Vice-President immediately started for the club, at which teams were waiting to convey him with the quickest speed.

THANKS FOR SYMPATHY.

London, Sept. 13.—Mr. Choate has sent the following message to Lord Lansdowne: "My government desires to convey to Lord Hopetown (governor-general of Australia), and Lord Ranfurly (the governor of New Zealand) their most sincere gratitude and thanks of the people of the United States for their messages of heartfelt sympathy. Will you please assure them that these messages coming as they do from the most remote quarters of the wide British empire, and all inspired with the same earnest brotherly interest, have touched the hearts of the President's countrymen, and are deeply appreciated. They are in the highest degree cheering to the President and Mrs. McKinley."

PRESIDENT McKINLEY.

William McKinley, president of the United States, was born at Niles, Trumbull county, Ohio, January 29, 1843. He was educated at the public schools, Poland Academy and Alleghany College, and before he attained his majority taught in the public schools. At the breaking out of the war between the North and South he enlisted as a private in the Twenty-Third Ohio Volunteer Infantry, on June 11, 1861. He was promoted to commissary sergeant April 15, 1862, to second lieutenant September 23, 1862; to first lieutenant February 7, 1863; to captain July 25, 1864; served successively on the staffs of Generals R. B. Hayes, George Crook and W. S. Hancock. He was brevetted major in the United States volunteers by President Lincoln for gallantry in battle, March 13, 1865; was detailed as acting assistant adjutant-general of the First division, First Army Corps of the staff of Gen. S. S. Carroll, and was mustered out of the service on July 26, 1865.

Returning to civil life he studied law took a course at the Albany, N. Y., Law school and in 1867 was admitted to the bar and settled at Canton, Ohio, which has since been his home. In 1869 he was elected prosecuting attorney of Stark county and served a term in that office.

In 1876 he was elected a member of the United States House of Representatives and for fourteen years he represented the congressional district of which his county was a part. As chairman of the ways and means committee he reported the tariff of 1890, but in November following was defeated for congress in a gerrymandered district, although reducing the usual adverse majority from 3,000 to 300.

In 1891 he was elected governor of Ohio by a pluralty of 21,511 and in 1893 was re-elected by a plurality of 80,995.

In 1884 he was a delegate at large to the Republican national convention and supported James G. Blaine for president. He was a member of the committee on resolutions and read the platform to the convention. In 1888 he was also a delegate at large from Ohio, supporting John Sherman and as chairman of the resolutions committee again reported the platform. In 1892 he was again a delegate at large from Ohio and supported the nomination of Benjamin Harrison and served as chairman of the convention. At that convention 182 votes were cast for him for president, but he persistently refused to have his name considered.

On June 18, 1896, he was nominated for president of the United States at St. Louis, receiving 661 out of a total of 905 votes. He was elected president at the ensuing November election by a popular pluralty of 600,000 votes and received 271 electoral votes, as against 176 for W. J. Bryan of Nebraska.

On June 21, 1900, he was unanimously renominated by the Republican national convention, held in Philadelphia, and was re-elected in November last, the leading opposition candidate being W. J. Bryan.

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The Ophir is Sighted

Steamer With Duke and Duchess Aboard Now in Canadian Waters.

She Was Spoken Yesterday Evening Off Cape Breton —All Well.

Halifax, Sept. 13.—(Special)—The Ophir, with the Duke and Duchess of York on board, was sighted off Aspy Bay, Cape Breton, at 6:30 tonight; all well.

Ottawa, Sept. 13.—(Special)—Mayor Morris, who was inclined to object to the position assigned him in connection with the Duke of York's visit to Ottawa, caused the city clerk to write a letter of expostulation to the Governor-General. The mayor has received a reply from Major Maude, in which that officer tells His Worship in fact that he has been given the post of honor, but does not seem to see it. The letter closes with the following gentle reproof: "His Excellency quite understands Your Worship's motives in wishing for information, and he trusts that Your Worship will be able to take your place as chief representative of the city of Ottawa in a fitting manner on the occasion of the forthcoming royal visit."

Mayor Morris bought a cocked hat in England to wear on the state occasion.

In official circles it is said that the death of President McKinley would considerably curtail the programmes in honor of the Duke of Cornwall.

TOWNS AT WINNIPEG.

Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 13.—(Special.)—Champion George Towns, the Australian oarsman, arrived today from Rat Portage, accompanied by his manager Mr. T. Sullivan, H. Pearce, the oarsman who defeated Hackett, and Mr. W. Field, a prominent Australian sportsman. This evening the visiting athletes were the guests of the Winnipeg Rowing club at a smoker given in their honor.

John Gilchrist, a farmer at Alameda, while driving to a threshing early this morning, was struck by lightning and killed along with his team. Deceased was unmarried, and was well and favorably known.

PACIFIC CABLE.

Survey Ship Britannia Now at Honolulu.

Honolulu, Sept. 6, via San Francisco, Sept. 13.—There seems to be serious trouble in Hawaii by reason of the failure of San Francisco exporters to ship cargoes of provisions here. Local stocks of food stuffs are becoming lower. The larger Honolulu dealers are refusing to fill big orders and small retail stores cannot replace their stocks as they sell.

The British cable ship Britannia, which has been surveying for the route of the cable from Victoria to Australia, has arrived here. They report that the cable will lie within 220 miles of the Hawaiian islands to the eastward. The arrival of the vessel here has revived talk of the possibility of getting cable communication with the outside world, without waiting for action of congress, by means of a connection with the British line at Fanning islands, about 400 miles only from here.

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PRESIDENT McKINLEY DIED THIS MORNING

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NEWS IN VICTORIA.

False Reports of President's Death Received During Afternoon.

Since the attempt on the life of the President in Buffalo, last week, Victorians have taken a keen interest in the case, and have watched the bulletins from the bedside and all other news connected with the fearful crime, very closely. The opinion was general here up to Thursday night, that President McKinley would recover so that the news of the relapse as given in the Colonist yesterday morning was received with the greatest disappointment, and all day long the bulletin boards around the city were surrounded. Between 3 and 4 o'clock the Western Union telegraph company received a despatch saying the President was dead, and later received one which was said to confirm it. Immediately flags throughout the city were lowered to half-mast, and the fire bells were tolled. Then a despatch came over the C. P. R. wires, dated later, than the ones which had announced his death, saying that he was very low, but that he was still alive and that the physicians were still fighting. This was a ray of hope, but the bulletins seemed to convey the idea that there was no possibility of a complete recovery. Still the people were anxious for news and during the night the Colonist and telegraph offices were deluged with messages asking if there was anything later to report. It was not until 11:17 that an Associated Press bulletin was flashed across the C. P. R. wires saying: "The President died at 2:11." A few minutes later the Western Union wires confirmed this and the few who had waited for the sad news wended their way home.

The Lieutenant-Governor on being told that the President was dying, was very greatly affected, and it was some moments before he trusted himself to speak. He was asked if there was anything he would care to say for publication, and replied that he could only say what all the people were saying, that the tragic ending of the President's life was inexpressibly sad. "It is uncomprehensible that he should be the victim of an assassin," he added. "If he were descended from a long line of tyrants, who had oppressed the people, one might understand why some frenzied person might seek his life. But he was one of the people themselves, chosen by themselves to act for them, and it is inexplicable that he could not have been permitted to serve his country for the brief term for which he was elected." Sir Henri later said that his mind kept going back to the dying President, whose fate was so strangely in contrast to the institutions of his country.

IN LONDON.

London, Sept 14.—(4 a. m.)—President McKinley's fight for life has been watched from the outset in Great Britain with an intense anxiety which resembled the last days of Queen Victoria. Every phase of the medical evidence has been keenly discussed and the painful suddenness of the collapse after a revival of hope deeply stirred the nation. This spontaneous and heartfelt participation in the anxiety of the American people at the bedside of the dying President has been expressed in editorials in all the morning papers, which at 3:30 a. m. were still holding their presses open for the last sad news.

TO POSPONE RACE.

New York, Sept. 14.—On account of the death of President McKinley the international yacht race for the America's cup between Shamrock II. and Columbia will be postponed. Whether or not the postponement will take place for a few weeks or next season, has not yet been decided.

WILLIAM McKINLEY

Now cold in death the warrior lies; the hero strives no more;
The helmet from his stricken brow lies shattered on the floor.
Lay by his side the gallant sword; the medals on his breast—
The honors of his toilsome years,—shall honor him in rest.

He fell not in the battle-cry, tho' oft he faced the foe;
Where'er were bullets thickest strewn he galloped to and fro;
Where brandished blade or cannonade in ghastly havoc fell,
There forth he spurred his prancing steed and earned his honors well.

But the duties of the foughten field to other duties call,
Where deeds are done and battles won in Life's Tribunal Hall.
The glorious brunt of righteous strife is there thro' valor borne,
And there the flag is bravely saved, tho' in the battle torn.

Yea, it mattered not who boldly fought, so let the fight be fair;
An honest, brave antagonist fights with his knuckles bare;
But the proffered hand of Judas, in deceit and blood demeaned,
Shows the heart split half for heaven, and the other for the fiend.

Confound those curs of bastard guile, who steep their hands in blood.
And rob the world of noble souls, to chew their murderous cud!
Oh, cursed be the envious spleen that lies in stealthy wait,—
Hid like a reef of treachery, to sink the Ship of State!

Ah, yet forgive, oh Noble Dead, if here we vent our ire
Against the fierce assassin or the base malignant liar;
For still of thy unblemished life the beauty shall remain,
A monument immortal o'er the spot where thou wast slain.

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THROUGH WIRE TO DAWSON

Expected It Will Be Completed This Week—Longshoremen's Trouble.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Vancouver, Sept. 13.—J. B. Charleson, superintendent of the all-Canadian wire to Dawson, has received a wire from his son as follows:

"Wire ends will be joined Thursday night."

The telegram is dated September 9, from the wire end, and it is likely messages will be sent over the completed wire on Saturday at latest.

There is trouble at Steveston between the longshoremen, many longshoremen came from Victoria to load salmon, and when they got here, they found several Puget Sound men were employed at Steveston. The Victoria longshoremen objected. No violence has resulted, but there is much excitement.

CORK COUNCIL.

Oppose a Resolution of Sympathy on President McKinley.

Cork, Sept. 13.—At today's meeting of the common council of Cork, a resolution of sympathy with President McKinley was proposed by Sir John Scott, but it had to be withdrawn, because Alderman Cave, a labor member opposed it, declaring that Mr. McKinley was no friend of Ireland, but a friend of Great Britain.

THE RENEWAL A STRAIN.

Vacation is over. Again the school bell rings at morning and at noon, again with tens of thousands the hardest kind of work has begun, the renewal of which is a mental and physical strain to all except the most rugged. The little girl that a few days ago had roses in her cheeks, and the little boy whose lips were then so red you would have insisted that they had been "kissed by strawberries," have already lost something of the appearance of health. Now is a time when many children should be given a tonic, which may avert much serious trouble, and we know of no other so highly to be recommended as Hood's Sarsaparilla, which strengthens the nerves, perfects digestion and assimilation, and aids mental development by building up the whole system.

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Faithfully yours,
R. G. MORRIS.

Hospital Directors.—A meeting of the directors of the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital will be held at the Board of Trade building at 8 o'clock on Tuesday next.

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Confession That Formed the Reason For Arresting Emma Goldman.

The statement of Leon Czolgosz made to the police and transcribed and signed by the prisoner is as follows:

"I was born in Detroit nearly 29 years ago. My parents were Russian Poles. They came here 42 years ago. I got my education in the public schools of Detroit, and then went to Cleveland, where I got work. In Cleveland I read books on Socialism and met a great many Socialists. I was pretty well known as a Socialist in the West. After being in Cleveland for several years, I went to Chicago, where I remained seven months, after which I went to Newburg, on the outskirts of Cleveland, and went to work in the Newburg wire mills.

"During the last five years I had as friends anarchists in Chicago, Cleveland, Detroit and other Western cities, and I suppose I became more or less bitter. Yes, I know I was bitter. I never had much luck in anything and this preyed on me. It made me morose and envious, but what started the craze to kill was a lecture I heard some little time ago by Emma Goldman.

"She was in Cleveland and I and other anarchists went to hear her. She set me on fire. The doctrine that all rulers should be exterminated was what set me to think, so that my head nearly split with pain. Miss Goldman's words went right through me, and when I left the lecture room I made up my mind that I would have to do something heroic for the cause I loved.

"Eight days ago while I was in Chicago, I read in a Chicago newspaper of President McKinley's visit to the Pan-American exposition at Buffalo. That day I bought a check for Buffalo and got hold of the determination to do something, but I did not know just what.

"I thought of shooting the President, but I had not formed the plan.

"I went to live at 1078 Broadway, which is a saloon and hotel. John Nowak, a Pole, sort of a policeman, who has led his people here for many years, owns it. I told Nowak that I came to see a face. He knew nothing of what was getting me crazy. I went to the exposition grounds a coulpe of times a day.

"Not until Tuesday morning did the resolution to shoot the President take hold of me. It was in my heart; there was no escape for me. I could not have conquered it had my life been at stake. There were thousands of people in town on Tuesday. I heard it was the President's day. All those people seemed bowing to a great ruler.

"I made up my mind to kill that ruler. I bought a 32-calibre revolver and loaded it. On Tuesday I went to the fair grounds and was near the railroad gate when the presidential party arrived. I tried to get near him, but the police forced me back. They forced everybody back, so that the great ruler could pass. I was close to the President when he got into the grounds, but was afraid to attempt assassination because there were so many men in the bodyguard that watched him. I was not afraid of them or that I should get hurt, but afraid I might be seized and that my chance would be gone forever.

"Well, he went away that time, and I went home. On Wednesday I went to the grounds and stood right near the President, right under him near the stand from which he spoke. I thought half a dozen times of shooting while he was speaking, but I could not get close enough. I was afraid I might miss and then the great crowd was always jostling, and I was afraid lest my aim should fail. I waited Wednesday, and the President got into his carriage again, and a lot of men were about him and formed a cordon that I could not get through, and was tossed about by the crowd and my sprits were getting pretty low. I was almost hopeless that night, so I went home.

"Yesterday morning I went again to the exposition grounds. Emma Goldman's speech was still burning me up. I waited near the central entrance for the President, who was to board his special train from that gate, but the police allowed nobody but the President's party to pass, so I stayed at the grounds waiting.

"During yesterday I first thought of hiding my pistol under my handkerchief. I was afraid if I had to draw it from my pocket it would be seen and seized by the police. I got to the Hall of Music the first one, and waited at the spot where the President was to be; then he came and I got in line and waited until I got right up to him, and then I shot twice before I removed my white handkerchief. I would have fired more, but was stunned by a blow in the face, an awful blow that knocked me down, and then they jumped on me. I thought I would be killed, and was surprised at the way they treated me."

Czolgosz ended his story in utter exhaustion. When he had about concluded he was asked:

"Did you really mean to kill the President?"

"I did," was the cold-blooded reply.

"What was your motive; what good could it do?"

"I am an anarchist; I am a disciple of Emma Goldman. Her words set me on fire," he replied, with not the slightest tremor. "I deny that I have had an accomplice at any time," Colgosz told District Attorney Penny. "I don't regret my act because I was doing what I could for the great cause. I will not be connected with the Patterson group, or with those anarchists who sent Presci to Italy to kill Humbert. I had no confidants, no one to help me. I was alone, absolutely."

ON MAGNETIC HEALING.

Much is spoken and written during of treating disease. The most truly re these times about this mysterious method markable cases of magnetic healing which have come under the notice of the writers have been those in which Dr. Chse's Ointment was used. This preparation seems to have magnetic powers in stopping the dreadful itching, burning sensations of salt rheum and eczema, and when used regularly makes the cure thorough and permanent.

NEWS OF PEARY.

North Sydney, C. B., Sept. 13.—(Special.)—The steamer Erik arrived here today after a most successful expedition. Explorer Peary was found and he and all his party are safe. Peary still remains in the north to continue his work. Mrs. Peary and her little daughter, Marie, however, returned on the Erik.

Perkins, said Colonel Hankthunder, you have named a new brand of whiskey after me, have you not, suh?

I have taken that liberty, colonel, answered the distiller.

Well, suh, rejoined the colonel, I shall have to ask you to call it something else. I have tried it, suh.—Chicago Tribune.

Mrs. Simpson—I'm worried about Jimmie's tendencies.

Mr. Simpson—He doesn't tell fibs or hook cookies, does he?

Mrs. Simpkins—No; but he always behaves when we have company.—Detroit Free Press.

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The Wellington Colliery Company, Limited Liability.

The Annual General Meeting of the stockholders of the company will be held at the office of the company, Store street, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of October next, at 11:30 a. m.

CHAS. E. POOLEY, Secretary.

Dated Victoria 2nd September, 1901.

NOTICE

The Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Co

The Annual General Meeting of the shareholders of the company will be held at the office of the company, Store street, Victoria, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of October next, at 11:30 a. m.

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NOTICE.

In the matter of the estate of John Gerhard Tlarks, deceased

Whereas by an order of the Honorable Mr. Justice Walkem, dated August 31st, 1901, letter of administration with the will annexed, were granted to Ada Constance Helen Tlarks, of all the estate and effects of John Gerhard Tlarks, late of the city of Victoria, British Columbia, deceased. Notice is hereby given that all creditors and other persons having any debts, claims or demands upon or against the estate of John Gerhard Tlarks, who died on the 21st day of August, 1901, are hereby required to send particulars of their claims or demands, and of the securities (if any) held by them respectively, to the undersigned, on or before the 7th day of October, 1901, verified by statutory declaration, after which date the administratrix will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which she shall then have had notice; and for the assets or any part thereof so administered and distributed she will not be liable to any person of whose debt, claim or demand she shall not then have had notice. And all persons indebted to the estate of the said deceased are required forthwith to pay the amount of their debts respectively to the said administratrix.

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PERSONALS.

Max Leiser and Mrs. G. Leiser returned from the Sound yesterday.

F. C. Gamble, government engineer, returned from the Mainland last evening.

W. G. Mackenzie was a passenger last evening from the Mainland.

W. B. Sylvester returned from the Mainland yesterday.

J. A. Thomson, inspector of steamships, returned last evening from Vancouver.

J. Macbeth, the manager of the Molson's Bank at Revelstoke, is staying at the Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Richards, Cumberland, are staying at the Occidental.

Harry Guillod, Alberni, is at the Oriental.

Mrs. H. Williams, Duncans, is a guest at the Oriental.

F. L. Kalu, a Toronto commercial man, is at the Vernon.

Miss Corbett, Seattle, is a guest at the Vernon.

Dr. N. Manahan, Winnipeg, who is on a pleasure trip, is staying at the Vernon.

D. J. Tye, Guelph, Ontario, and M. L. Tye, St. Thomas, Ontario, are at the Victoria.

M. Hirschbaum, San Francisco(representing the Royal Packing and Drying company, is in the city for the purpose of making arrangements for shipping fruit into this country. He states that the fruit supply in California is very good, apples in particular being extremely plentiful. Mr. Hirschbaum is registered at the Victoria.

The Misses Lowrey Whitchurch, of The Elite, have returned after attending the millinery openings in Portland and Seattle.

C. D. Taprell, manager of the Hotel Vancouver, came over on the Charmer last night, and registered at the Driard.

E. J. Coyle, assistant general passenger agent of the C. P. R., Vancouver, is registered at the Driard.

J. J. Palmer, owner of the Marble Bay mine, Texada Island, arrived from the Mainland last night, and is staying at the Driard.

Louis Cleghorn and L. F. Riddell, two Toronto commercial men, are at the Driard.

Jas. L. Bucknall and L. C. Bucknall, of London, are registered at the Driard.

Chas. Landeau, Montreal, is staying at the Driard.

Professor Frank Miller, the well known parachute balloonist, who gave exhibitions here four years ago, arrived from the Sound last night, and is registered at the Dominion.

J. O'Reilly, proprietor of the Windsor Hotel, Calgary, and Mrs. O'Reilly, are registered at the Dominion. They are making a honeymoon tour of the coast cities.

F. McVeigh, railway contractor, of Nelson, is staying at the Dominion.

F. A. Klotz and bride, of Seattle, are guests of the Dominion.

Mrs. H. Welsman, Dawson, is registered at the Dominion.

LADY CHORISTERS.

Toronto Methodist Church Adopts a Black Robe For Them.

From Mail and Empire.

The board of Sherbourne street Methodist church has decided that all the members of the choir shall wear black gowns somewhat similar to that worn by university students. The ladies will, of course, remove their hats.

The new dress has been adopted with a view to doing away with all distinction between rich and poor as members of the choir. It was pointed out that in all choirs there are those who cannot afford to keep up with the frequent changes of fashionable dresses and millinery, and many young people whose means were limited, felt the odium of comparison. The uniformity of the black gowns will remove all distinction of that kind. It was also set forth at the board meeting that gaudy millinery in the choir frequently detracts from religious interest in the service.

The choir of the Metropolitan Methodist church, New York, and also in several other churches in the United States wear black gowns, but Sherbourne Street church is the first in Canada to adopt the idea, and it is possible the innovation may come up for discussion at the next Toronto Conference.

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BORN.

OGLE—In this city at 112 Superior street, on the 12th instant, the wife of George V. Ogle, of Savonas, B. C., of a daughter.

DIED.

MITCHELL—In this city on the 12th inst., Robert Stocks Mitchell, in his 31st year, a native of Belfast, Ireland.

The funeral will take place from his late residence, 32 Grant street, on Sunday at 2:30 p. m.

Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

Belfast, Ireland, and Montreal, Que., papers, please copy.

FAIRBAIRN—At the Home for the Aged and Infirm Men on the 11th instant, William Fairbairn, a native of Glasgow, Scotland ,aged 76 years.

The funeral will take place from the parlors of the B. C. Funeral Co., on Saturday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Friends please accept this intimation.

REYNOLDS—At Vancouver, on Sept. 10th, the two-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds.

EDGETT—At Vancouver, on Sept. 11th, Jean Edgett, the three-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Edgett.

CASSELMAN—At Vancouver, on Sept. 10th Robert E. Casselman, aged 16 years.

A. O. F.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The members of the Court Vancouver, No. 5755, A. O. F., are requested to meet at K. of P. Hall, Sunday, 15th inst., at 1:30 to attend the funeral of late Bro. R. S. Mitchell. Members of Court Northern Light are cordially invited to attend.

S. WILSON, Sec'y.

Dominion Lodge No. 4, I.O.O.F.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The members of the above lodge are requested to meet at the Odd Fellows hall, Douglas street at 2:30 p. m., on Saturday, Sept. 14th, in order to attend the funeral of our late brother Wm. Fairbairn. Visiting members and members of sister lodges are respectively invited to attend.

W. B. SHAKESPEARE, N. G.

NOTICE.

General Relief Committee I. O. O. F. All members are desired to meet at our hall, Douglas street, on Sunday, the 15th inst., at 1:30 p. m., to attend the funeral of our late brother R. S. Mitchell. Sojourning Odd Fellows cordially invited.

GEO GRIMASON, Pres't.
ALLAN GRAHAM, Sec'y.

VICTORIA TYPOGRAPHICAL UNION

No. 201

All members are requested to attend the funeral of our late member, R. S. Mitchell, on Sunday, 15th inst., from his late residence, 32 Grant street, to Ross Bay cemetery.

Members will assemble at the house at 2:15 p. m.

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Salmon Fleet of Ten Ships

Largest Fleet on Record this Season—Ship Red Rock Reaches Port.

Capt. Troup Takes Plans of New Liners to Montreal for Approval.

Another sailing vessel has been added to the sailing fleet, making a total of ten vessels in all. The latest vessel is the Deudraeth Castle, which is bringing a cargo of coal from Cardiff to Esquimalt for the Navy. She put into Rio Janeiro with her cargo heated, on July 30th, and after a stay there of about two weeks, proceeded on her voyage to Victoria. With the addition of the Deudraeth Castle, the salmon fleet which will carry the pack of the British Columbia canneries to the British market this year will be larger than that of any past season. The fleet includes the following vessels: Largo Law, Combermere, Blytheswood, Havila and Chas. Cotesworth, already arrived, the first four being now on the Fraser loading, and the Red Rock, Ballachulish, Beechdale, Santa, and Deudraeth Castle.

The British bark Chas Cotesworth, Capt. Harris, arrived in the Royal Roads yesterday morning, after an uneventful trip from Callao, which port she left on July 10th. After a voyage of about 60 days she arrived off the entrance to the Straits a week ago, having carried northeasterly winds from the south. She is now anchored in the Roads awaiting orders.

Three other vessels arrived in the Straits with her, one of which came into the Royal Roads yesterday afternoon, and being a four-master, the word was passed around that she was the Red Rock, but instead of the long expected merchantman, she was the large German four-masted bark Placilla, 2681 tons, forty-three days from Caleta Buena for Tacoma. She anchored in the Roads. Another vessel of the inbound fleet which passed up to the Sound yesterday was the Tidal Wave, 25 days from Los Angeles for Tacoma.

FISH STORY.

Tale That is Told of How a Whale Signalled Off Carmanah.

They keep a close look-out for incoming steamers at Carmanah point, and in this connection a good story is being told to Mr. Daykin, the look-out and light-house keeper. When the steamer Queen City called at Carmanah some days ago he told a tale of the profusion of whales seen off the coast of late, and said: "I don't know whether you'll believe it or not, but one of those big fish came in off the light-house some days ago, and gave me the Northern Pacific whistle in the middle of the night, and I got out of bed and went out to investigate. It was not until some time afterwards when I heard the long, two short and a long whistle of the Northern P. S.S. Co., that I found that it was a whale that was blowing, and I went back to bed."

NEW SKAGWAY LINER.

Capt. Troup Takes Plans of New C. P. N. Steamer to Montreal for Approval.

Capt. Troup, manager of the C. P. N. Co. has gone to Montreal to consult with President Shaughnessy of the C. P. R., regarding the construction of a steamer to be built without delay, to replace the lost steamer Islander. As announced when the news of the arrangements for a new Skagway liner to replace the lost vessel, was told for the first time in the Colonist on Wednesday morning, the C. P. N. Co. intend to have a steamer in service on the Lynn Canal route in the stead of the wrecked vessel as early in next season as she can be completed. The plans were commenced here soon after the disaster, and Capt Troup took the complete drawings and specifications East with him to place them before Mr. Shaughnessy for approval or amendment. It is said that the plans are for a first class craft fitted in every particular for the trade, as in designing the new steamer, every attention was paid to the requirements of the Skagway run.

During Capt. Troup's stay in Montreal he will also discuss the question of a new steamer for the Victoria-Vancouver route with President Shaughnessy and the directorate of the C. P. R., plans for which he is also said to have with him. This new ferry steamer, it is understood, is to be a fast side wheel steamer of the most modern model.

CUTCH COMING SOUTH.

Being Towed Down to Seattle by the Steamer Dirigo.

Steamer Humboldt, which has arrived at Seattle from the north, reports having passed the steamer Dirigo in Wrangel Narrows with the British steamer Cutch in tow. The Cutch, which was wrecked on Horse Shoe Shoal to the westward of Treadwell Island, about eight months ago, is being taken to Seattle. She was purchased from the underwriters by a Montana man for $5,000, and it is said that her new owner intends to place her in service on the Columbia river, running between Portland and Astoria. The Cutch, which has been in the service of the Union S.S. Co. for many years, was built as a yacht for an Indian Rajah.

THE BEAR'S CRUISE.

Deposits Fifteen Casks on the Ice of the Arctic.

A letter received from Cape Nome gives particulars of the recent cruise of the United States revenue cutter Bear in Arctic waters and her placing of fifteen casks on the ice, with a view to determining its course in drifting.

There had been placed on board the Bear fifteen casks, specially designed by Rear Admiral Melville, United States navy, chief engineer of the Jeannette when lost in the Arctic ice, to be deposited on the pack as far north and west as practicable. Steaming along the pack at a distance of five or six miles, the nearest that could be reached on account of drift ice having piled up along the pack, three points were found where it was practical to land the casks, which were deposited in 72 degrees 20 minutes to north and west of Wrangel Island.

The theory is that the casks will drift on the ice in the same direction as did the Jeannette.

The casks not being liable to destruction by ice runs are expected to be eventually picked up on the coast of Greenland. Each one has the latitude and longitude in which landed enclosed in a glass, with the request in three languages for the finder to return the paper to the nearest United States consul or to the Geographical Society of Philadelphia.

The Bear returned from the Arctic, reaching Nome August 30. She encountered a great deal of ice after passing through Bering strait, northbound.

STRIKE AFFECTING CHARTERS.

R. P. Rithet's Report Tells of the Freight Market.

The monthly freight and shipping report of R. P. Rithet & Co., for August, says: "The freight market, in common with all other branches of business, has been seriously affected by a laborers' strike in San Francisco and neighboring ports, but, with any certainty of prompt loading there would be a good demand for grain tonnage at short dog. The best quotation is 39s. 9d., but owners are unwilling to accept this rate, while on the other hand exporters refuse to charter. Lumber carriers are in moderate demand, with little change in rates.

"The salmon pack on Fraser river will aggregate about 880,000 cases, as compared with 787,000 cases in 1900. Three new charters have been added to our list, making a total of 10 vessels, with a carrying capacity of about 600,000 cases.

"We quote freight as follows: Grain—San Francisco to Cork, f. o., 38s. 9 to 40s.; Portland to Cork, f. o., 40s. to 41s. 3d.; Tacoma and Seattle to Cork, f. o., 40s. to 41s. 3d. Lumber—British Columbia or Puget Sound to Sydney, 40s. to 41s. 3d.; Melbourne, Adelaide, 47s. 6d. to 48s. 9d.; Port Pirie, 46s. 3d. to 47s. 6d.; Fremantle, 58s. 9d. to 60s.; Shanghai, 45s. to 47s. 6d.; Klao-Chou, 50s. to 52s. 6d.; Taku, 52s. 6d. to 55s.; Vladivostock, 47s. 6d. to 50s.; W. Coast S. A., 50s. to 52s. 6d.; U. K. or Continent, 75s. to 77s. 6d.

RED ROCK ARRIVES.

Reached Esquimalt From Liverpool Last Night.

The long expected British Ship Red Rock, Capt. Porter, arrived in port last night, bringing a full cargo of general merchandise for Victoria and Vancouver in the stead of the lost bark Primrose Hill, which was lost near Holyhead soon after she had started for Victoria from Liverpool, the disaster involving the loss of her master and the majority of her crew. The Red Rock was 163 days in making the passage from Liverpool to Esquimalt, and has been awaited for many days past. She is chartered to load salmon for the voyage home after discharging her cargo here and at Vancouver.

Although the Red Rock made a long passage she was not as long in reaching port as was the barks Carl and Kilmallie, which brought general cargoes to Victoria last year. The former was 169 days, and the latter 168. The fastest trip out that is recorded is said to be that of the Titania which arrived here in 107 days from Liverpool, while the Puritan had also a good record for fast time. The Alexander Black, another laden ship, is now out 143 days for Victoria.

SAGA TO BE SOLD.

One of Fleet Which Came to These Waters During Klondike Rush.

As a result of the order given by the Admiralty court in this city, in the case of the steamer Saga, that vessel will be sold at Vancouver on Friday next, the 20th inst. The steamer has had a history replete with stories of misfortune, and has been tied up for eighty days at Vancouver.

She arrived here during the Klondike rush, having come from the Barbadoes with a small party of passengers bound to the Klondike, and having no clearance papers from her port of departure, she had trouble on her arrival, and later more trouble followed. Then she was tied up at Vancouver for several years. Then she was purchased by the Vancouver Coast Line Steamship company, and made a number of trips to the northern B. C. coast from Vancouver before new troubles came, and following the litigation, she is to be sold.

MARINE NOTES.

The Danish bark Prince Louis, is en route to Victoria from Newcastle, Australia, having been chartered to load lumber at Burrard Inlet for Cardiff. The Prince Louis is one of the Prince line of Danish barks, several of which including the Prince Victor, and Prince Arthur, recently loaded here.

Steamer Cottage City will sail for the north again on Sunday morning at 6 a. m. The steamer City of Puebla left San Francisco at noon yesterday for Victoria, and is due here tomorrow evening. Capt. David Wallace, until recently master of the steamship Queen, will resume command of the Cottage City. Capt. H. H. Lloyd succeeded Capt. Wallace on the Queen, which left a few days ago for Nome. Capt. Jensen, now temporarily master of the Cottage City, returns to pilot duty. Capt. Wallace was formerly in command of the Cottage City.

The sloop reported seized a few days ago at Port Townsend for alleged smuggling, is said to be the Eva, belonging to this city.

Steamer Amur is due from Skagway.

Steamer Tacoma will sail today for the Orient.

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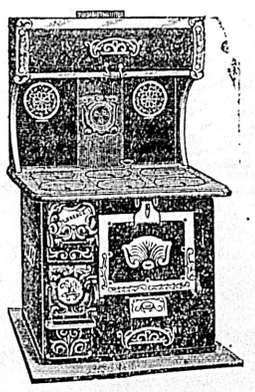
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No. 184.

CERTIFICATE OF REGISTRATION OF AN EXTRA-PROVINCIAL COMPANY.

"COMPANIES ACT, 1897."

I hereby certify that the "Pacific Improvement Company" has this day been registered as an Extra-Provincial Company under the "Companies Act, 1897," to carry out or effect all or any of the objects of the Company to which the legislative authority of the Legislature of British Columbia extends.

The head office of the Company is situate in the City of San Francisco, State of California, U. S. A. The amount of the capital of the company is $5,000,000, divided in 50,000 shares of $100 each.

The head office of the company in this Province is situate at Victoria, and Charles E. Pooley, Barrister, whose address is Victoria aforesaid, is the attorney for the company, (not empowered to issue or transfer stock.) The time of the existence of the company is fifty years. The company is limited.

Given under my hand and Seal of Office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this 3rd day of September, one thousand, nine hundred and one.

S. Y. WOOTTON,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

The following are the objects for which the Company has been established:

For the purpose of engaging in, and carrying on the construction, manufacturing, mining, mercantile, mechanical, banking and commercial business in all their branches.

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Also for the purpose of purchasing, owning and holding real property, improving and selling the same.

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Also for the purpose of buying and selling and constructing and operating all kinds of vessels propelled by sails or in whole or in part by steam.

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W. S. GORE,
Deputy Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 5th September, 1901.

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Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B. C., 5th September, 1901.

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Lv. 10:30 p. m.	Lv. 10:30 a. m.	White Pass Ar.	2:35 p. m.	Ar. 2:10 a. m.	
Lv. 11:40 p. m.	Lv. 11:15 a. m.	Log Cabin Ar.	1:40 p. m.	Ar. 1:00 a. m.	
Lv. 12:20 a. m.	Lv. 12:05 p. m.	Bennett Ar.	1:05 p. m.	Ar. 12:20 a. m.	
Lv. 2:45 a. m.	Lv. 1:40 p. m.	Cariboo Ar.	11:20 p. m.	10:20 a. m.	
Ar. 6:40 a. m.	Ar. 4:00 p. m.	White Horse Lv.	9:00 a. m.	Lv. 7:00 p. m.	

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1. To consider and pass a resolution to sell and dispose of the whole of the Company's property, assets, rights and privileges and authorizing the Directors of the Company to execute all deeds, assignments and documents of whatsoever nature or kind required to fully and effectively carry out the said sale.

Dated this 21st day of August, A.D. 1901.
By order of the Directors.
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PRESIDENT McKINLEY.

President McKinley is dead.

We feel entirely unable to express the sorrow which his tragic end has caused. It is doubtful if he will be mourned any more sincerely in his own country than in Canada. Not that in his public career he has ever shown any special friendship towards the Dominion. He was friendly enough, but no occasion had ever arisen which called for anything more than the ordinary courtesies between the two countries. Canadians respected him because he was a staunch, manly citizen of his own country, and because he was endowed with the qualities which go to make up a noble character.

So far as the Colonist is able to speak for the people of Canada, it extends their heartfelt sympathy to the people of the United States. There is much more to be said, but we shall defer saying it until another occasion, and shall only add that, inscrutable as is the order of Providence, which has permitted so useful a life to be thus ended, it may be that the nation needed just such a sacrifice.

"BEST FOR THE PROVINCE."

Mr. Dunsmuir has on several occasions said that in framing a railway policy he desired to make the best bargain possible for the province. He has a right to have this declaration accepted, and if it had been, if there had been an effort on the part of those who have chosen to oppose him to understand what matters must be taken into consideration in framing a policy of railway construction, the people would better understand than they appear now to do, how very important it is that every effort should be made to secure the most favorable terms from companies ready to undertake railway construction. What we would all like to see is the building of railways without any public aid whatever, as they are built in many other places, but it is generally recognized that for some lines in British Columbia provincial assistance is requisite in some form or other to aid the companies in financing them. This is experienced in other provinces. Thus we find Premier Murray of Nova Scotia declaring that the reason why his government has agreed to loan $13,000 a mile to Messrs. Mackenzie & Mann to secure the construction of a railway from Halifax to Yarmouth, is to reduce the capitalization of the line to a minimum and thus lighten the fixed annual charges on the line, which will enable it to give better rates to the public. It is probable that the proposed railway could have been secured without any provincial aid, but in that case the capitalization would have been larger, in order to leave a wide margin for speculation. So in British Columbia, it may be cheaper in the end for the province to assist in railway construction and thus lighten the fixed charges upon the lines after they are built. But in granting assistance business principles should rule, and a government is fully justified in seeking to make the best bargain with the capitalists who contemplate railway construction.

In granting aid many things have to be considered. In the first place, this is a very large province, and it needs many miles of railway to open it up. In Nova Scotia they are making a great deal of talk over a line 180 miles long, but in British Columbia 180 miles of railway would be a small undertaking. In deciding upon the amount of aid that can be safely given, regard must be had to the aggregate amount of aid that will likely be asked. In the next place, it is important to secure from the assisted companies as great a return as possible for the aid given, and it is very desirable that this aid shall take the form of a contribution to the revenue of the province. The demands upon the revenue are growing all the time, and while the provincial income has rapidly expanded and the opening of the country by railway will expand it still more, the demands upon the public exchequer are increasing all the time, and the problem of how to keep the absolutely necessary expenditure within the income is something that has not yet been solved. If it were possible for the government to fix a limit beyond which assistance to railways should not go, even if that limit were a thousand or two miles, it would be possible to estimate with something like accuracy what demand they would make upon the revenue, but no limit can be fixed, and it is therefore sound business policy to secure, if possible, from every railway receiving assistance some return that can be applied towards other projects of the same or a different nature.

These are the things that Mr. Dunsmuir had in mind when he declared his determination to secure the best possible terms for the province in the matter of railway construction. That he was right in so insisting must be conceded by every one. Doubtless his motives have been misrepresented, and very likely in some cases they may have been misunderstood. He is not responsible for that. He favors railway construction on as broad a scale as the finances of the country will allow. He recognizes that the more the province is opened by railways, the larger will be the revenue, but he knows very well that with the increase of population will come increased charges for public works of all kinds, for education and for the administration of justice. He is ready to ask legislative aid to all desirable projects which cannot be secured without it, but he would like, as a business man, to keep the provincial out-go within the provincial income, and to do this he feels it to be necessary to exact from railway companies receiving provincial aid some return in the way of revenue.

We submit that this is a wise policy, that the people will endorse it, and that they will be willing to wait a short time to enable such a policy to be carried into effect. It would be a very popular thing, no doubt, to secure railway construction at any cost, but we all know how the people have complained because of what is alleged to be the too liberal treatment accorded railway companies heretofore. It is better to think over these things at the outset and make the best bargain possible. When once a bargain has been made it must be lived up to, no matter how burdensome it may be to the province. To avoid placing undue burdens upon the people is what Mr. Dunsmuir has had in mind in framing his railway policy. His policy as framed has not yet brought forth any results. Apparently changes will be necessary. If they are they will be made, but the cardinal feature of any plan to which Mr. Dunsmuir will give his assent as Premier must be that the companies shall return something to the people of the province in exchange for the assistance extended to them.

THE ELECTION IN NEW WESTMINSTER.

The opposition to Mr. Brown in New Westminster has taken a somewhat remarkable turn, and demonstrates very clearly the dishonesty of the reasons given by Mr. McBride for his resignation from Mr. Dunsmuir's government. The candidate selected to oppose the Provincial Secretary only consented to take the field after repeated urgings by Mr. McBride personally, and those of his friends who endorse his recent actions. The gentleman in question, Mr. Gifford, was one of Martin's supporters up to the present week, and a year ago was chairman of the Martin campaign committee in New Westminster. In adopting Mr. Gifford as his candidate, Mr. McBride abandons the position he first assumed, and reveals to the public the plain fact that personal animosity to Mr. Brown, not any high strung sentiments of political morality, induced him to take the hasty and ill-advised action which he has no doubt since deeply regretted.

Had Mr. McBride been consistent, he would have resigned his seat in the House, and contested New Westminster with Mr. Brown. His friends wished him to do this to prove the honesty of his motives and the courage of his convictions. He declined absolutely, however, on the plea that he did not wish to abandon Dewdney. In plain language, Mr. McBride was afraid. Sober consideration of his first reckless act has made him more careful.

It is generally conceded in New Westminster that Mr. McBride has lost heavily in political prestige and fallen greatly in public estimation. This is shown by the number of former supporters of his, mostly staunch Conservatives, who are now supporting Mr. Brown. The latter is also endorsed by more than three-fourths of the business community, who apart from political likes or dislikes are honestly convinced that the Dunsmuir government should in the interests of the country be sustained, and will, therefore, support Mr. Brown's candidacy. It is recognized that the Dunsmuir government has been particularly generous to New Westminster, and it is felt that to jeopardize the interests now at stake would be simply suicidal. In addition to this support not always accorded him, Mr. Brown has "the people" of New Westminster at his back. They have never failed him in the past, and will not now.

Mr. McBride, assisted by several of the bolters and Mr. Smith Curtis, is endeavoring to put up a strong fight for Mr. Gifford, who has had no previous political experience, and is not a good platform speaker. The whole Opposition campaign is based on Mr. McBride's assertion that he has twenty-five members of the legislature pledged to compass the defeat of the government, the argument being that as the government is certain to be smashed, New Westminster should be on the winning side. He quotes Messrs. Pooley, Rogers, Hunter, Kidd, Clifford and others as having given him assurances of their co-operation. Naturally, not much confidence is placed in such statements, as apart from the unlikelihood of these gentlemen seeking Mr. Dunsmuir's downfall, they are not the stamp of men to be led by Mr. McBride, whose recent exhibition of childishness has demonstrated his unfitness and incapacity to play the part required of a leader.

In one sense Mr. Brown has an up-hill fight. The entire press of Vancouver and New Westminster is working for his defeat, and he is under the further disadvantage of having no local paper to champion his cause and publish his views. But notwithstanding all this, and the weight of the heavy artillery directed against him, he is a certain and easy winner.

THE NEW WESTMINSTER BRIDGE.

The Times says that it has been plainly intimated that if Mr. Brown is not elected the bridge across the Fraser at New Westminster will not be built. May we ask our contemporary by whom such an intimation has been made? It certainly has not been made by the government or with its authority. The most that has been said is that the defeat of Mr. Brown may lead to political changes and that the result of those changes may delay the construction of the bridge. We do not believe in putting the issue in New Westminster upon so low a plane as to make the bridge the only cry, but seeing that the opponents of the government have chosen to misrepresent the attitude of the ministry towards that important public work, we may say that it is only logical to contend that the election of Mr. Brown and the retention of office by the Dunsmuir government are in the interest of that project. The present government is committed to the bridge as an act of policy. It is pledged to secure its immediate construction. It has provided for the money. It has set men to work on the necessary preliminaries. These things are known to all men. It is reasonable to claim that if the government is sustained it will carry out this policy, while no one can give any guarantee of what will happen if the government is defeated.

The opponents of the government are not consistent. They call upon the people of New Westminster to defeat Mr. Brown, because they say that the government will thereby be defeated. Then they charge the government with saying that if Mr. Brown is defeated the bridge will not be built. Of what value would such a threat be, that is if it were ever made, if it is true that the defeat of Mr. Brown means the immediate overthrow of the government? If with Mr. Brown's defeat Mr. Dunsmuir must go out, as his opponents say, how can Mr. Dunsmuir refuse to go on with the bridge as a punishment to New Westminster for refusing to elect his Provincial Secretary? To say that the bridge is being used as a bribe is a matter of the merest moonshine. Was it a bribe last session when there was not the least talk about Mr. Brown being called into the cabinet and an election being brought on in New Westminster? If it was not a bribe then, at what stage did it become a bribe? The position of the opponents of the government in this matter is completely untenable.

We repeat that the only argument that can be made from the bridge is a reasonable one, and it can be made without giving rise to any suggestion of an attempt to bribe the constituency. It is that the decision to proceed with the bridge shows that Mr. Dunsmuir is alive to the welfare of New Westminster, because he has done what no preceding Premier has been willing to undertake, namely the construction of the bridge as a government work. It is wholly proper to direct the attention of the people of New Westminster to this fact, and it is wholly proper that this fact should have an influence upon their votes. It signifies that the act of government policy in which the people of New Westminster are most closely interested is one to which the Dunsmuir government is irrevocably committed. Besides this, it is reasonable to point out to the people of New Westminster that they have no guarantee that any successor in the premiership which Mr. Dunsmuir might have would consider himself so committed. The people of New Westminster will bear in mind that the opposition to Mr. Brown means more than a desire to prevent that gentleman's election. If that were all there is in it, there would not be a gathering of opposition clans from all quarters. The defeat of Mr. Brown is sought because his opponents believe the government will thereby be compelled to resign office. The Times takes this position plainly enough. It says, "On the result depends the fate of the government." We do not concede this, but this is the view the opponents of the government take. So we ask them how they can pretend for a moment that the government will decline to go on with the bridge if Mr. Brown is defeated. On their own showing, if he is defeated the present government cannot go on or refuse to go on with anything.

THE HEATING OF SCHOOLS.

Among the important matters which our school trustees have to arrange and decide upon are those which relate to the physical conditions under which the pupils are taught. They have to care for the bodies as well as the minds of their pupils.

An illustration of this is presented by the discussion with regard to the heating and ventilation of our new High School. It seems to be important that the facts of science shall be borne in mind in connection with this matter, as otherwise the pupils are liable to be defrauded of their proper quota of fresh air, unless the decision be arrived at that the arrangement of the heating apparatus for the various rooms shall be in accordance with the principles that make for health. It is commonly believed by those who have made a study of such apparatus, that the great desideratum is to provide an abundant supply of warm fresh air, and a means of removing that which has been vitiated by the breathing of the pupils. The allowance of air per pupil, i. e., the amount of air from which the oxygen is taken, is placed at a minimum of 20 cubic feet per minute. Taking the average number of pupils in a class at even so low as 25, it becomes evident that no less air is required than 30,000 cubic feet per hour. Any falling below this minimum results in the inspiration into the lungs of the young people of air which has been deprived of its life-giving properties. The importance of preventing this, if possible, need not be emphasized since it will be admitted by everybody.

It is plain that a system of heating and ventilation which is adapted for an office or a dwelling house, may not be at all suitable for a place where a number of human beings are congregated together for considerable periods. What is needed in such cases is a plentiful supply of fresh air from the outside duly warmed in such a way that it shall not be robbed of its oxygen. We have to guard against draughts, and yet to admit large quantities of air. Moreover it is imperative that the vitiated air shall be removed. No system ought to be adopted for our new High School that does not combine these two provisions in a manner as near perfection as possible. It is to be hoped that the trustees will bear these points in mind when they are deciding on the particular sort of heating and ventilating apparatus they will have. There is no reason why our promising pupils should be subjected to conditions which are contrary to health, particularly at that period of their lives which determines more or less the sort of men and women they will be, physically, until the end of the chapter.

MR. McBRIDE DECEIVES.

We learn from New Westminster that Mr. McBride has stated publicly there that Messrs. Eberts, Prentice and Wells contemplate resigning their seats in the cabinet within a few days.

The Colonist is authorized to say that this statement of the ex-Minister of Mines is wholly without foundation. It is impossible for Mr. McBride to justify his course in thus making free with the names of his former colleagues. His cause must be a very bad one indeed when he finds it necessary to resort to such misrepresentation. That is the worst feature of a campaign which is based upon purely personal considerations. It did not suit Mr. McBride to remain in the government, and so he left it, and to make his action appear less personal he has chosen to represent that it has the sympathy and will soon receive the direct endorsement of all his former colleagues except the Premier. The complete denial that we are able to give to his claim will tend to discredit him further than he already is by reason of his unwillingness to contest New Westminster against Mr. Brown.

An esteemed and very sarcastic correspondent finds fault with the Colonist for defending Mr. Joseph Martin. When did the Colonist defend Mr. Martin?

Over in New Westminster the political pot appears to be boiling. Messrs. McBride, Tatlow, Smith Curtis, and Bogle are running a big McBride "push" and even our own Mr. McPhillips has taken a hand in the game. It appears that Mr. McBride is to be premier at an early date, and that he has already got from twenty-five to forty of the members—he is not particular as to three or four, more or less, attached in miscellaneous ways to various parts of his person. It appears also that Mr. McBride was at once the pillar and keystone, the brains and energy, of the Dunsmuir government; and that he was now decided to be the leader of the next, flashing forth upon an astonished country in the full glory of triumphant genius, sustained by an admiring crowd of obedient followers. As we have this important announcement on the authority of Mr. McBride himself, as reported in the Columbian, 'twere surely treason to doubt it.

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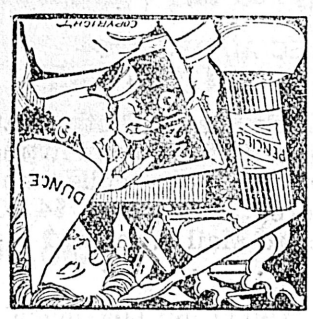
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Normal School.—Principal Burns has issued a circular stating that the Normal school at Vancouver will be opened on October 7, and will close in April, 1902. Particulars as to the terms of admission can be obtained from the principal.

Rule as to Dress.—In a message to Lieutenant-Governor Joly, Major Maude says that at the reception to the Duke of York ladies should wear evening dresses and gentlemen uniforms, court or evening dress.

Legal Firm.—Messrs. Frank Higgins and R. T. Elliott have formed a partnership for the practise of law. Both are well known to Victorians and will no doubt command their share of the practice.

Term Expires.—According to the militia regulations, Lieut.-Col. Gregory's term of service as commander of the Fifth Regiment expires on the 20th inst., and while he is anxious to retire he will continue in the command until the department appoints a successor.

Two Drunks.—In the police court yesterday the man arrested for drunkenness, who protested his innocence on Thursday, was adjudged guilty and was fined $2.50. Another drunk, who had been allowed out on bail failed to appear and his ten dollars was taken over by the city.

Park Donations.—The park commissioners beg to thank Master Cyril Bridges for the presentation to the park of a pair of Belgian thoroughbred hares, two black and one Angora rabbits, and also three young Belgian hares, all of which have been domiciled at the park zoo.

Jewish Services.—Last evening the Jewish New Year 5,662 began, and services were held in the synagogue, which had been very prettily decorated by the ladies. Rev. Montague Cohen preached, his subject being, "Sin and Repentance." This morning the services will commence at 8 o'clock, the subject being "Pastoral Words." This evening the subject will be, "Shofar v. Cornet."

Will Report Favorably.—Among the recent arrivals from Mount Richards is Mr. W. A. Whitten, a New York mining expert, who returned yesterday and left by the steamer Majestic last night en route East. He has been examining some properties in which a New York company is interested, in the Mount Richards and Alberni districts, and is highly impressed with the mines seen by him. He intimated before leaving that he intended to report most favorably on the properties.

Woodmen at Alberni.—A new camp of the Woodmen of the World was instituted at Alberni on Tuesday evening, by W. E. Gillespie, D. C., with a large charter list of enthusiastic members. This camp starts under very bright auspices and has selected the following officers for their first year: Consul commander, Capt. Geo. A. Huff; advt-lieut., E. Woodward; banker, Chis Soll; clerk, Hugh C. Cameron; physician, Dr. Watson. Their meetings will be held on the first and third Saturdays of each month.

Farewell Present.—Mr. D. S. Tait, who recently retired from the teaching staff of South Park school, was presented last Monday by the staff of that school with a beautiful souvenir locket. On one side was his monogram and upon the reverse the words, "South Park School." Mr. Tait has been appointed principal of the Rossland schools. He left by last night's steamer to assume his new duties on Monday morning next. He will have a responsible position, having ten assistants to begin with. His many friends here will watch his future career with much interest.

Visited the Grounds.—Yesterday afternoon the Lieutenant-Governor, the Mayor and Mr. C. H. Lugrin, on the invitation of Mr. H. Dallas Helmcken, M. P. P., visited the exhibition building and grounds, for the purpose of seeing what progress has been made in preparing for the show. Sir Henri was very agreeably surprised at the size and appearance of the building and expressed himself very heartily upon the subject. The building was examined with the view to selecting the place for the dais from which H. R. H. the Duke of Cornwall and York will declare the exhibition open, but no definite choice was made, as much will depend upon the location of the exhibits. The track and horse stalls were also inspected. The track is yet in very poor shape and there is little enough time to get it ready for a race meeting.

ADMITTED TO BAIL.

Brooks and Rogers Arraigned on Charge of Manslaughter.

Eugene Brooks, elder of the Christian Catholic Church in Zion, and John Rogers, one of the adherents of that church, upon whose shoulders a coroner's jury on Thursday placed the responsibility for the death of Rogers' little daughter, who died of diphtheria without medical attendance, were arraigned in the city police court yesterday on the charge of manslaughter, the information being sworn to by Supt. Hussey, of the provincial police force. An adjournment was asked for until Monday by the Superintendent, and was granted, as both Messrs. J. S. Yates, who appeared for Brooks, and George E. Powell, who appeared for Rogers, consented. Bail was fixed at $4,000 in each case, half personal surety and the other half by two sureties of $1,000 each. Bondsmen were found for both defendants in the persons of Thomas Horne and John Jardine. The Attorney-General's department has taken charge of the case.

BUSY SEASON BEGINNING

Exhibition Secretary and Committeemen Overburdened With Work.

Mr. Beaumont Boggs, secretary of the exhibition association, is the busiest man in town just now. He is deluged with correspondence and bombarded with questions from morning to night by intending exhibitors and people having axes to grind in connection with the fair.

Yesterday afternoon the hall committee met at the secretary's office and disposed of a lot of business. Numerous applications for space and special privileges were disposed of—the greatest difficulty confronting the members being the task of stretching the limited space at their disposal to meet the demands of the applicants.

The secretary reported that there was no check to the inflow of entries in nearly every class. From all indications there will be a splendid display of live stock. The industrial exhibits will be very numerous and attractive—not an inch of the main building but will be fully occupied.

The committee took steps to provide for the decoration of the interior of the buildings, empowering the secretary to employ an expert to supervise the work.

The latest application for an engagement during the fair comes from a troup of Highland dancers, at present performing in the Sound cities with great success, who would no doubt add much to the amusement of visitors to the fair.

Miss Perrin attended the meeting and made a satisfactory arrangement with regard to matters affecting the women's department, which had not been thoroughly understood.

MILITIA ORDER.

Four Companies to Complete Big Gun Drill at Fort Macaulay.

Lt.-Col. Gregory has issued the following regimental order:

"Companies Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6 will parade at Fort Macaulay, at 2:30 p. m. o'clock on Saturday, the 21st inst., for the purpose of completing the 6th practice. Officers commanding these companies will be held responsible that a full detail for manning the fort is furnished. They will make their own arrangements for meeting at an early date, and arranging the personnel of the detail. Major Hibben will act as assistant to battery commander. Captains McConnan and Drake and Lieutenant Hall will act as gun group commanders. Surgeon-Major Hart, the acting adjutant, Sergeant-Major Mulcahy and the hospital orderly corporal will attend."

BUSINESS POINTERS.

A steel range that surpasses all its predecessors for cheapness, while it at the same time combines all the qualities of usefulness, strength and durability, together with artistic beauty and design. These ranges are not more than half the price of most other ranges on the market, and are on exhibition in the windows of Geo. Powell & Co., The Cheapside, 127 Government street. See their advertisement, with cut of stove, quotations, etc., elsewhere in this paper.

A Schroeder, the James Bay grocer, is to the front with many fine blends of tea, among which is his "Khaki" blend at 25 cents per pound, and his blend of black at the same price, both of which are elegant value, and should receive a trial from every consumer.

Those who are in want of choice English and American strawberry plants would do well to consult Tanner Bros.' advertisement in the Daily and Semi-Weekly Colonist.

A beautiful stock of fancy work in all kinds of laces and silks may be seen at Mrs. Adams' 78 Douglas street. All kinds and designs of order work always receives the special attention of Mrs. Adams herself, whose ability as an artist of the highest order at fancy needle work is too well known now to need comment.

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LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

Cases Disposed of by Mr. Justice Drake at Yesterday's Chambers.

Mr. Justice Drake presided in Chambers yesterday and dealt with the following applications:

Oppenheimer v. Oppenheimer—Application for order for judgment under order No. XIV. Decision reserved. Wootton for plaintiff; Marshall for defendant.

McKay et al v. Victoria Yukon Trading Co.—Application for order for judgment under order XIV. Stands over till today. Griffin for plaintiffs; Lawson for defendants.

McKay et al v. Victoria Yukon Trading Co.—Application to vary order as to security. Summons dismissed with costs to plaintiffs in any event. Griffin for plaintiff; Lawson for defendants.

Cameron v. Appleby—Summons to examine judgment debtor. Order granted. Bradburn for plaintiff.

British Columbia Cold Storage Co. v. Earsman et al—Application for order to examine judgment debtor. Order granted. Bradburn for plaintiff.

Re Louis Vigelius, deceased—Application for probate. Stood over for a week. Aikman for applicant.

Re James Pearson, deceased—Probate granted. Langley for applicant.

Estate of W. Holmes, deceased—Application for letters of administration. Official administrator to be appointed on filing of further affidavit. Robertson for applicant.

Re Andreas M. Keating, deceased—Probate granted to A. V. Keating, with power reserved for widow to apply. Pooley for applicant.

SUPREME COURT MOTIONS.

Mr. Justice Drake granted a decree absolute in Keating v. Austin, reviving the action in the names of the devisees and extending time for redemption for one week, on motion of Mr. Pooley.

Mr. Pooley was also granted a decree adsolute in Todd v. St. Andrews.

COUNTY COURT.

The next sitting of the County court is fixed for Thursday, October 3.

NO QUORUM.

Trustees Did Not Attend and There Was no Enquiry Yesterday.

Only two of the school trustees attending, the enquiry into the charges made by Mr. P. R. Brown, against Mr. I. St. Clair, physical instructor at the public schools, could not be held yesterday, and an adjournment was taken until Monday afternoon at 5 o'clock. Those present yesterday were Dr. Hall, chairman of the board; Trustee Drury, Supt. Eaton, Principal Tait of the Victoria West school; Miss Gardiner, of the teaching staff of that school and Mr. St. Clair. Mr. Brown's letter to the school board in which he makes complaint, is as follows:

Chairman Board of School Trustees, Victoria, B. C.

Dear Sir,—It is will feelings of regret that I am compelled to enter a charge against your drill instructor, Mr. I. St. Clair.

While drilling the senior classes of the Victoria West school on Monday last, he was guilty:

1. Of conduct unworthy one assuming to be acquainted with the barest instincts of a gentleman.

2. Of wilfully and without cause, grossly insulting my son in holding him up to the scorn and ridicule of his associates.

3. Disgracing my son whilst dismissing him from the ranks in using abusive language towards him.

4. Also, on Thursday last, reiterating his statement that "That Brown boy was a sneak, and he would not take a word of this back."

For this, I ask an enquiry, and would suggest that the same be held at an early date at the Victoria West school, either during school hours or immediately after, while the occurrence is fresh in the minds of those who witnessed it.

I submit that this was an unwarranted and unprovoked attack on an unoffending child, and if my son is sustained, I consider Mr. St. Clair is not a fit and proper person for the position he now occupies, and his resignation should be demanded.

Yours truly,
P. R. BROWN.

YESTERDAY'S FUNERALS.

Remains of the Late Mrs. Moody and Glenn Meldram Laid at Rest.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Moody took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of her mother, Mrs. Watson, Foul Bay road, at 2:30 p.m. Services were conducted by the Rev. Alexander Fraser, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Campbell, at the house and grave. There was a large attendance of friends and many beautiful floral designs. The following gentlemen acted as pall-bearers: Ald. W. G. Cameron, Ald. R. T. Williams, Messrs. J. Davies, F. Burrill, W. W. Northcott, R. Porter, sr.

The remains of the late George Glenn Meldram were laid to rest yesterday afternoon. The funeral took place from the family residence, No. 63 Frederick street. Services were conducted by the Rev. W. Leslie Clay at the house and grave. There was a large attendance of friends and many beautiful flowers.

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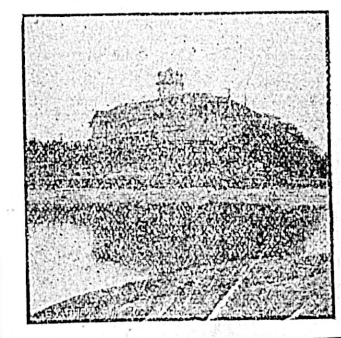
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DEVELOPMENT AT ALBERNI

The New Town Building Up and Mining Is Progressing Well.

Special to the Colonist.

New Alberni, Sept. 12.—During my present visit to this locality it has often seemed to me that a plain statement of what is going on here now would be of interest to your readers, since matters of importance are taking place, and much of interest must transpire here in the near future.

Since my last visit a different spirit seems to pervade the locality; a quiet earnestness heretofore unknown; not a boom spirit, but a thinking, working one; one that does not expend itself in talk, but in well directed action and unmistakable confidence. Things are being done, not promised and predicted, as heretofore. There is no rush of tin-horn mining men, capitalists without money, taking worthless claims upon wind bonds.

Most of the claims now held here are of some value; many of considerable merit; while the wild-cat locations have mostly been allowed to lapse.

The day of outrageously high prices for mining claims has passed here, and prospects can now be bought for prospect prices. A man with cash can now buy a claim here for what it is worth, or less. I call to mind, for example, one instance of a claim, and it is a good one, too, situated within five hundred feet of water deep enough for ocean-going steamers to come to within fifty feet of the shore, for which two years ago the owners asked ten thousand dollars cash, which can now be bought for twenty-five hundred dollars. There are other similar cases.

Old Alberni is situated on the river, one mile from the head of Alberni canal. New Alberni, beautifully situated on the canal proper, at the head of steam navigation, is growing. New blood has come in and building is going on. The Alberni canal is deep and wide here, and could easily accommodate all the craft belonging to Vancouver Island. Large ocean-going steamers can come directly to the wharf.

Much work is being done at Hayes' Landing, situated twelve miles below New Alberni, on the west bank of the canal. A first-class gravity tramway, over five thousand feet long and of a daily capacity of one hundred tons, is being constructed there for the purpose of transporting ore from the Nahmint Gold & Copper Mining Company's mines to the canal; an air compressor to run power drills in the mine is being put in; new buildings are being erected; the wharf has been enlarged until it has a frontage of about two hundred feet upon deep water, and great ore bunkers are being built upon the wharf, so that ore may be loaded upon vessels directly from them.

There are over four thousand feet of tunnels and drifts upon this mining property, and there are hundreds of thousands of tons of ore developed. The ore is of good value, a chalcopyrite, carrying gold. The workings are now over four hundred feet deep in ore, and a seven hundred foot tunnel, 6x8 feet, is now being run, and will soon strike the veins at a depth of eight hundred feet. When the tramway is completed the shipment of ore will begin.

It has from the first been the policy of the company to develop a mine before shipping ore, and this policy has been carried out under the direction of Col. G. H. Hayes, who has been managing director and superintendent of the company from the start. As a result this company has now one of the great mines of British Columbia. In and about the mine are now employed over fifty men.

The Thistle was sold to California parties about three months ago for a small sum; it was only a prospect then, but the work done upon it since the purchase has developed large bodies of high grade chalcopyrite ore, carrying good gold values.

Work upon it is being pushed and a wagon road is being built from the canal to the mine; new buildings are being erected and a large wharf will soon be constructed. Over one hundred men are now employed by the company. Clarence S. King, of San Francisco, is superintendent.

The Monitor mine, five miles below Hayes' Landing, has inaugurated an extensive system of development and is pushing the work with vigor.

Space will not permit me to go further into particulars or mention other work that is going on near here.

In addition to claims near and upon Alberni canal, there are prospects upon Anderson lake well worth examination.

The channel between the lake and the head of Uchucklesit harbor is now being deepened by the government.

The steamer Queen City runs from Victoria to Alberni four times per month, and has been taxed to her full freight and passenger capacity for months.

A local steamer plies upon the canal from Alberni to Barkley Sound, carrying freight and passengers.

Boats are numerous upon these waters, and some of them are beauties. Three new ones have lately come in that are exceptionally fine; one belonging to the Presbyterian mission here; one to J. F. Bledsoe, and The Helen Tanner, belonging to Judge G. D. Keeney. These last two are sister boats, built by Strickland & Co. They are very fast.

Better horses, too, are being brought in, and there is a general air of thrift and earnestness here now, that this section has never known before.

One striking feature of this locality is the deep waterway running from twenty miles inland directly to the sea; and an important fact is that the mines, thus far discovered, are all situated immediately upon the shore or within a short distance of it.

Mr. H. E. Newton, manager of the Golden Eagle mine, came in today. He is making arrangements to build houses at the mine and for putting up a large amount of machinery.

The survey party of the Nanaimo-Alberni Railway Co. reached here yesterday. Capt. Geo. A. Huff, ex-M. P. P., the veteran merchant and steamboat man, is building a large saw mill at Franklin creek.

THE TWO SCOURGES.

ALCOHOL AND MORPHINE

AN ANTIDOTE DISCOVERED.

A recent remarkable discovery in medicine which has been found to annihilate the appetite for alcoholic drinks and all drugs, even in the most hopeless cases, is attracting a good deal of attention among those interested in temperance work. The medicine is purely vegetable, perfectly harmless and absolutely free from narcotics. It leaves no evil after effects and can be carried in the pocket and taken in absolute privacy, thus dispensing with the publicity, loss of time and expense of an institute treatment.

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Full particulars regarding this medicine can be obtained by writing to Mr. Dixon, No. 81 Willcocks street, Toronto, Canada.

She—When one is really thirsty there is nothing so good as pure cold water.

He—I guess I have never been really thirsty.—Brooklyn Life.

THOROUGHBRED STOCK.

Shipment for Dairymen's Sale Leaves Toronto on Monday.

Word was received last night by Mr. G. H. Hadwen, secretary of the Dairymen's Live Stock Association, that the thoroughbred stock ordered from Ontario to be auctioned by the Association at the sale to be held in connection with the exhibition on October 3, will be shipped from Toronto on Monday. The stock for sale consists of ten Shorthorn bulls and five females; one Ayrshire bull and four females; one Jersey bull and two females. There are of swine twelve Berkshires, two Yorkshires, three Tamworths and three Chester Whites, and the sheep number fifteen Shropshires, ten Oxfords and ten Southdowns. In addition to these animals there are several lots of stock already disposed of for private order. These include five bulls for Mr. Thos. Ellis, of Penticton, and thirty or forty sheep for people at Agassiz. In all the shipment will make at least four carloads. The Association has already disposed of $9,000 worth of stock in British Columbia at their stalls this season, a very handsome beginning. Mr. Hadwen states that catalogues for the coming sale will be out soon and people who wish to dispose of their stock under the conditions laid down should send in their entries at once.

Texada's Treasures

Marble Bay Mines Proving a Bonanza to Their Enterprising Owner.

The Tacoma Smelter Company Forced to Greatly Increase Its Capacity.

Among the arrivals at the Driard last night was J. J. Palmer, proprietor of the Marble Bay mines and the Marble Bay lime kilns, Texada Island. Mr. Palmer has been East for some time and reports business brisk in Ontario. In Manitoba the effect of the wonderful grain crop, which is being successfully harvested, is everywhere manifest. At Winnipeg business in all lines is flourishing, new buildings are being hastened to completion before the cold weather sets in and everything denotes prosperity and progress. Real estate values have doubled in some instances within the last six months, not on a speculative basis, but for actual business purposes.

Regarding his mining properties on Texada Island, Mr. Palmer says the Marble Bay mines are now making regular shipments per steamer Selkirk, under special charter, to Tacoma every five days, averaging 175 tons per shipment. Only the first grade ore is shipped, the second grade dump, which goes $12 to $15 a ton, is assuming mountainous proportions, awaiting the re-opening of the local smelter, which has been closed down for some time in consequence of the complications which have arisen in the management of the Van Anda Mining & Smelting Company's affairs. These, Mr. Palmer says, are in a fair way of being arranged in the near future as a general meeting of those interested is called for at an early date.

The main shaft in the Marble Bay mine is now down 260 feet, and the drifts, crosscuts and stopes represent a total of over 3,000 fet of underground work. The ore bodies in the galleries show every indication of permanency and hold their value, which averages $25 to the ton, in every instance.

Mr. Palmer is installing a concentrator plant, which will add greatly to the producing power of the mine. Part of the machinery is now on the ground and the balance en route, so that it is expected to have it in working order by October 15.

The Tacoma smelter, Mr. Palmer says, is taxed beyond its capacity in treating the ores of Texada, Alberni and Mount Sicker, and in consequence the management has decided to build three new stacks and install a converting plant, which will not only enable them to handle all the ore offered, but in addition produce pure merchantable copper, saving the costs of shipping and treatment at the refinery, and eventually to reduce the cost of smelting below the present rate.

The Marble Bay lime kilns are working to their full capacity and making regular shipments to the Sound and Honolulu, where their product is preferred above all competitors.

They make one feel as though life was worth living. Take one of Carter's Little Liver Pills after eating; it will relieve dyspepsia, aid digestion, give tone and vigor to the system.

SOMETHING FOR THE DEAF

In consequence of our article published about a week ago, concerning the recent discovery of a new method of treatment for Deafness, based on external applications, we have received a large number of letters asking for additional explanations. We would remind those of our readers who are interested in the subject that they must write direct to the Drouet Institute, 72 Regent's Park road, London, England. The institute gives free advice to foreign patients, and the Secretary will gladly send all the information they require to enable them to undergo the treatment in their own homes.

WHY THEY FELL IN LOVE.

If there is one question more than another to which it is difficult to get or give a satisfactory answer it is surely this: "Why did you fall in love with your husband?" In nineteen cases out of twenty a woman would probably confess candidly that she did not know, or else she would declare conclusively that she did because she did, and that ought to end the matter.

In the rare cases where a lady condescends to declare her reason the answers are both interesting and instructive.

"Whatever made you marry the prisoner?" a London magistrate asked a woman whose face bore "striking" evidence of her husband's affection. "Because he punched all the other fellows' heads," she answered, "and nobody else dare make love to me."

Another good lady confessed that she fell in love with her husband because he was the "only man who ever dared to snub her." While other men were stumbling over each other to pay her court and attention, he always treated her with absolute indifference and even rudeness.

The consequence was that she determined to bring him to her feet and his knees. She succeeded, but lost her heart in the attempt.

"I fell in love with my husband," one lady recently declared, "because he was the only man about whom no one else was ever heard to say an unkind word. Even the women, although he paid them no special attention, were agreed that he was 'a darling'; and although he was plain, almost to ugliness, and old enough almost to be my father, I loved him and determined to marry him long before he had any such thought of me."

A SKETCH OF LADY JOLY

Something About the Wife of British Columbia's Lieutenant-Governor.

From Montreal Star.

It was characteristic of the present mistress of Government House in British Columbia, that, when she was approached by a representative of the Star and questioned regarding her tastes and habits, she fell to chatting about her soldier sons. And this forms perhaps the best index of her character. Domesticity, father than publicity; her sons before herself; the love of her courtly husband, and her devoted children rather than the ephemeral applause of the populace—these are the dominant characteristics of the distinguished woman who, by virtue of her nobility of character as well as by her official position, is today the first lady in British Columbia.

Physically, she has none of the frailty which is sometimes noticeable in His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor. Although her hair is silvered and her figure matronly and mature, her movements are as active and her step as light as on that day, early in the beginning of the last half-century, when she gave her hand and plighted her troth in marriage to the young Quebec barrister, whose subsequent career has been so prominently and so honorably associated not only with the province which he calls home, but with the great northern Confederation, of which he was until recently a minister of the crown.

The atmosphere in which she moves is one of healthy contentment. If her feminity is strong, it does not obliterate, or even obscure those stronger features of character which permitted her to give up to a life of danger and possibly to death, several of her boys. I asked her if the selection of the profession of arms by Alain and Gustave had been with her approval, or was in accordance with her desires. "Oh, yes, indeed," she exclaimed. "I was always fond of the service," and her mother's face lit up with enthusiasm as she spoke. And then I understood that the race of Spartan mothers had not become extinct with the nominal passing of the race to which they belonged.

The maternal instinct is strong in Lady Joly. She was not content with the rearing and education of a family of which any mother might be proud, and with which she might regard her maternal obligations as satisfied and discharged. Her sympathies extended, as a young mother, in the old historic city of Quebec, to the homeless, friendless and destitute children, left at an early and impressionable age without the instructive and corrective influence of parents. Although busily employed in her own home, where her growing family constituted a constant demand on her attention and care, Lady Joly found time to minister to the less fortunate. Both of the orphanages in Quebec city, the boys' and the girls,' had in her a staunch friend, and for a score of years she served on the boards of management in one capacity or another. Indeed her activities in connection with those philanthropic institutions terminated only when her husband was selected for the exalted position which he now adorns in the westernmost of the Canadian provinces, and she candidly admits that one of the joys to which she looks forward with delight when Sir Henri's term of office has expired and they renew their residence in Quebec, is the resumption of her relations as foster mother to the orphans of the Ancient Capital.

The same instints which led Lady Joly to become identified with the work referred to in the foregoing prompted her to extend her co-operation when Lady Aberdeen organized the Council of Women, with its nursing department. Lady Joly became a member of the committee when the provincial council was organized in the province of Quebec, and gave her assistance in every possible way to that enterprise.

Aside from her philanthropic work, her tastes are more literary than musical or artistic, the latter term being used in its narrower sense. While she has a womanly love for melody, for art and for the drama, these have not received the extraordinary attention in the Joly household that they have in many a home of less culture. But in the literary study of the greatest of playwriters, in the matchless works of the bard of Avon, Lady Joly delights.

Her almost passionate fondness for his plays is, strangely enough, a development of her mature womanhood, for altogether she recognized the beauty of his writing as a girl, the Bard was not then studied and understood as faithfully or as well as now. But with the comparative leisure of later life, after the sons and daughters had attained manhood and womanhood, and the mother had more time at her disposal to follow her fancies, came the opportunity to dig deep into the treasure house of her Shakespeare. The result was soon seen in the organization of the Shakespeare Club in Quebec, an association of which she was the creator and most active member. Later when Sir Henri went to Ottawa as minister of inland revenue, his wife succeeded in forming a similar organization there, while she had not been many months on the Coast before the Monday night meetings of the Shakespeare Club at Government House came to be one of the recognized "taken" dates of the dozen ladies who composed it. There, as in Quebec and in Ottawa, the club although limited in membership, is composed of enthusiasts who regard its weekly sessions as a delightful mingling of pleasure and profit.

All Canada knows of the service which the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia has rendered to the cause of arboriculture, and of his passion for forestry. It has been considered impossible to outdo him in enthusiasm on the subject of tree culture, but those who know best contend that he is almost eclipsed by members of his own household. The whole family, including the eldest son, Edmond, who is at present visiting his parents in Victoria, is passionately devoted to it, and Lady Joly is second to none of them in the intense interest which she displays in the subject. The plantation of nut-bearing and other varieties of trees, with which His Honor is now experimenting, has as jealous a protector and as interested an observer in the mistress, as in the master of the vice-regal residence.

Reference has already been made to her love of the service. In this she would seem to have displayed peculiar favoritism, for it is a noteworthy fact that all of her sons and sons-in-law who are identified with the army are in the Royal Engineers. Capt. Alain holds high office in Mysore, India, and Major Gustav is on Sir Percival Girouard's staff in South Africa. Major Nanton, R. E., is in the same employment and Major Mills, R. E., is posted at Plymouth. Even Mr. Boswell, another son-in-law, although employed in civil duties, is in the engineering department, being chief engineer of the harbor works and dry dock at Quebec, while Harry Greenwood is in charge of the railway between Johannesburg and Pretoria. Edmond, the eldest son, of whom mention has already been made, practises law in Quebec, having assumed his father's practice there as well as managing the mills and the estate generally.

Lady Joly is a daughter of Hammond Gowan, of Quebec. She was educated in that city and spent a short time in the States. She was married to Sir Henri in 1856.

To conclude, Lady Joly suggests the hearth rather than the dais. There is no assumption of superiority because of the favored lines in which her life has been cast. Her attitude to life is primarily from the standpoint of the family; secondarily from that of officialism. Little wonder that these home-like qualities have already won for her a circle of loyal friends in Victoria as devoted in their love as that wider circle of loving hearts by whom she surrounded herself in her quaint and beloved birthplace—Quebec.

FAVORS TWO PROVINCES.

Northwest Member on How the Territories Shall Be Divided.

From Montreal Etar.

The six members from Saskatchewan in the Northwest Assembly are unanimously in favor of the division of the Territories in two provinces, says Mr. Frederick Villeneuve, M. L. A.

The line dividing these two provinces from east to west would be the same as that now dividing the territories of Saskatchewan and Assiniboia, extended through Alberta to the eastern frontier of British Columbia. Alberta would thus be divided in two parts, a portion going with Saskatchewan and the remainder with Assiniboia.

The Legislature and the people of the Territories are discussing the question now The Haultain government favors the amalgamation of the four territories into one province, but Mr. Villeneuve believes that the great majority of the people of the Territories wish for a division.

The Board of Trade at Edmonton recently passed a unanimous resolution in favor of the establishment of two provinces. A commission is about to be formed to study this question, and Mr. Villeneuve is likely to be one of the members, to represent the French-Canadians who claim that one member of the commission should be of their nationality.

The two new provinces, he adds, are of a distinctly different character, geographically and politically. The portion to the south is a country for irrigation. In Assiniboia and Southeastern Alberta the Federal government has done an immense lot of work to help the irrigation of the lands. Artesian wells have to be sunk to a tremendous depth to furnish water for the farms.

All along the valley of the North Saskatchewan from where the river takes its rise in the Rockey mountains down to Lake Winnipeg, things are different. The territory of Assiniboia is traversed by the Canadian Pacific railway from end to end, and in a short time the proposed province to the north will have the Canadian Northern to serve both banks of the Saskatchewan. Thus, each province will have its own railway independent of the other.

The proposed division will be fully as acceptable to the French-Canadians as to the other elements of the population. The most important French-Canadian groups are at present about the towns of Edmonton and Prince Albert, and at several points along the Saskatchewan between those two points. He believes that in a few years they will become as solidly anchored along the banks of the Saskatchewan as they are at present in the Province of Quebec along the St. Lawrence. If French-Canadian agents were established in the towns of the Western States, they would be the means of bringing great numbers of French-Canadians back to the old homes or to the Northwest of Canada. Daily Mr. Villeneuve receives from French-Canadians in Dakota, Montana and Minnesota, letters asking for information as to the conditions in the Northwest. Some days he receives as many as twenty such inquiries. If proper agents were appointed for those States he believes they could do excellent repatriation work.

Mr. Villeneuve does not entertain for a moment the proposal that Manitoba may get a slice of the territory which is it proposed to convert into provinces. The Northwest Legislature, at its last session, passed a resolution repudiating such an idea.

Speaking of the results of the census he said he saw no reason why Ontario should feel so badly about the result. The people of that province could not expect to increase in full proportion when they were colonizing the Northwest. He know whole townships in that country where the people came from Glengarry, and there were numerous other groups from districts in Ontario.

HOT WEATHER FASHIONS.

While there has been an unbroken spell of good weather for Goodwood, London has been oppressed with sultry heat. Straw hats are seen everywhere in the West End, and black frock coats are dropped at the clubs. Another innovation brought about by the inclement heat is the use of sandals for men and women. Railway traffic for the seaside is tremendous.

An Interesting Standard—What is your idea of a man of honor?

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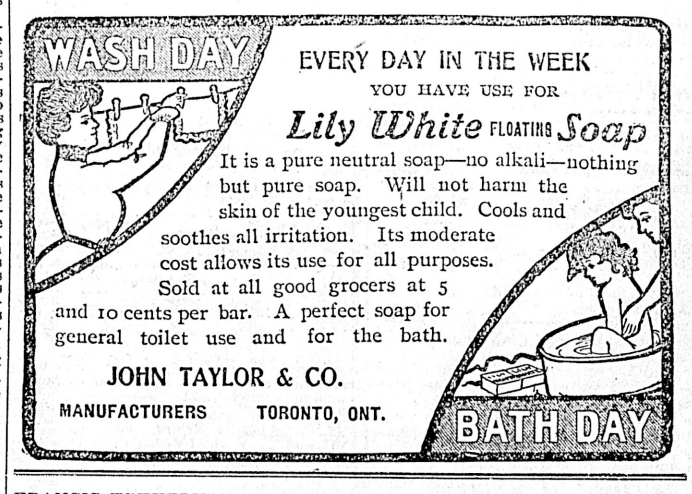
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When the oil is flowing from the wells much money will be made, out of which big dividends can be paid, more lands full of oil be bought, and many more wells be bored. The Company's business is certain to be very profitable and as the directors wish to have many enjoy the coming prosperity with them, these 21,000 shares will be sold at the low price of one dollar per share each, but no less than ten shares will be sold to any individual. The 160 acres with one well boring, spoken of above, was obtained by the sale of 7,000 shares of stock among many representative gentlemen who thought well of the enterprise and trusted the officials of the Company. These gentlemen stockholders number such as the Hon. William C. Whitney, J. B. Haggin, Thos. D. Reilly, Robt. A. Tucker, Frank H. Quinby and a host of others. Francis Trevelyan, of the New York Journal, is the President; Wilfred P. Pond, of the Spirit of the Times, is the Vice-President, and A. L. Hassard Short (Commercial Advertiser), G. Herbert Daley (Evening Post), Ed. Abercrombie and A. F. M. Leslie (Spirit of the Times), Charles S. Daley (office of Walter S. Logan), A. H. Mills (Morning Telegraph), Thos. Allen and Henry Hellman are concerned in the management of the affairs of the Company. For further particulars address New Amsterdam Oil Company, 309 Broadway, New York.

Sports for This Afternoon

Two Lacrosse Matches to be Played at Caledonia Grounds.

Battle Royal Looked For Between the Victoria and Nanaimo Teams.

There will be two lacrosse matches at the Caledonia grounds this afternoon. At 1:30 the James Bay and Fernwood junior teams will meet for the first time this season, and at 3 o'clock the senior championship match between Victoria and Nanaimo will be called. This latter match should be a closely contested one as both teams have been putting in hard practice and from the beating the Nanaimos administered to Vancouver they have evidently greatly improved since their last visit to this city. There will be a few changes in the personnel and positions of the Victoria team. Norman instead of being in goal will be in the defence field, and his place between the flags will be taken by S. Lorimer. Spain, who has recovered from the injuries he received in the match at New Westminster, will be at inside home and George Snider will be at outside home. Walter Lorimer will take the position at point, while Charles Cullin will leave off his uniform to act as referee. The rest of the team will be much the same as have played in recent matches. W. E. Ditchburn will act as field captain, and the game will be called at 3 o'clock, rain or shine.

The teams for the junior match are:

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Pike	Goal	McInnes
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Fawcett	3rd Defence	Ashe
Haughton	Centre	Waslie
Cullin	3rd Home	Kelley
Belyea	2nd Home	Dempster
Pike	1st Home	Sargison
Cullin	O. Home	Dwyer
Edmonds	I. Home	Thompson

FOOTBALL CHAMPIONS.

Photograph of Victoria Association Team on View With the Championship Cup.

A photograph which is attracting much attention is one of the Victoria Association Football team which is on view in the window of the Victoria Book and Stationery store, together with the championship cup, which this club has held for two seasons, and which they will make a strong effort to retain this year. The photo is by Skene Lowe and reflects much credit on that gentleman.

CRICKET AT ESQUIMALT.

Team Chosen to Play Against the Navy This Afternoon.

A cricket match will be played this afternoon at the Canteen grounds, Esquimalt, between the Navy and Mr. Drake's eleven, the latter being composed of the following: Mr. Justice Irving, Major Wynne, W. York, C. Schwengers, B. Schwengers, A. J. Sergeant, G. Barraclough, A. Gillespie, D. M. Rogers, A. N. Other and B. H. T. Drake.

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DAILY MARKET QUOTATIONS.

(By Victoria Stock & Realty Agency, Ltd.)

New York, Sept 13.—The following quotations ruled on the Produce Exchange today:

	Open.	High.	Low	Close.
Wheat—				
Dec.	76	76¼	75¾	75¾
Sept.	74½	74½	74	74
Liverpool Wheat—				
Dec.	5-7¾			5-7½
Corn—				
Dec.	61¾	61½	61¼	61⅜

New York, Sept. 13.—The following quotation ruled on the Stock Exchange today:

	Open.	High.	Low	Close.
Amn. Sugar	127	128	125¾	125¾
People's Gas	100	100	100¾	107⅜
C., M. & St. P.	157½	157½	154½	155¼
Amal. Copper	108	108⅝	105	105⅝
Manhattan	114¾	114¾	113¼	114
C., R. I. & P.	139	139	135	135
B. R. T.	64	64	61⅝	62¾
A. & S. F. pfd	93½	94½	93	93¼
S. P. com	55	55¼	53¾	54⅜
U. S. Steel com.	41	41⅜	40⅜	40⅝
Mo. Pacific	100	100	98	98¼
L. & N.	100½	101¼	100	100¼
Sou. Railway	30	30⅝	29⅝	30⅜
U. P. com	94	94½	93	94¼
Erie com	40½	40⅝	39	39¼
Wabash	37	37½	37	37¼
T. C. & I.				59⅞
A. & S. F. com	72	73½	71	72¼
W. Union				90½

Money on call, 4 to 8 per cent.

Dividends, Manhattan, Ex. Div., 1 per cent

LONDON MARKET.

Atchison com., 12:30 p. m., 74¾; N. Y. Equiv., 72½; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 2¼; 4 p. m., 75¼; N. Y. Equiv., 73; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 2.

Louisville & Nashville, 12:30 p. m., 103½; N. Y. Equiv., 100¼; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 2½; 4 p. m., 103¾; N. Y. Equiv., 100¾; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 2¾.

Southern Pacific, 12:30 p. m., 56; N. Y. Equiv., 54¾; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 2¾; 4 p. m., 56¼; N. Y. Equiv., 54⅝; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 2¾.

U. S. Steel com., 12:30 p. m., 43; N. Y. Equiv., 41¾; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 2¾; 4 p. m., 43¼; N. Y. Equiv., 41⅝; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 2.

St. Paul, 12:30 p. m., 162; N. Y. Equiv., 157¼; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 3¼.

Erie, 12:30 p. m., 41; N. Y. Equiv., 39¾; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 2¼; 4 p. m., 40¾; N. Y. Equiv., 39⅝; change from N. Y. close, Dec. 2¾.

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Toronto, Sept. 12.—The following were the closing quotations on the Mining Exchange today:

	Asked.	Bid.
Black Tail	10	5
Canadian G. F. S.	5¼	4¼
Cariboo McKinney	23½	20
Centre Star	35½	35
Crow's Nest Pass Coal	$82	$75
California	6	4
Deer Trail Con	3	2½
Evening Star	6	
Fairview Corp	2½	
Golden Star	4	3
Giant	4	
Iron Mask	20	15
Granby	44	37
Mountain Lion	30	20
Noble Five	11½	9
North Star	42	30
Olive	6	4
Payne	16	15
Rambler Cariboo Con	51	45
Republic	4	3¼
Virtue	15	10
War Eagle Con	13¼	12½
White Bear	3¼	3
Winnipeg	7	6¾
Wonderful	3½	

TORONTO SALES.

Centre Star, 1,000 at 35½; 1,500 at 35⅝.
Deer Trail, 1,000 at 2¾.
Hammond Reef, 500 at 1½.
War Eagle, 500 at 13.
Payne, 100 at 15½.

ROSSLAND SALES.

Winnipeg, 5,000, 1,500, 5,000 at 6½; 2,000. 1,000 at 7.
Cariboo McKinney, 1,000 at 24.
Centre Star, 1,000, 1,000 at 36½.
Rambler Cariboo, 1,000 at 48½.

NEW YORK STOCKS.

New York, Sept. 13.—The following were the closing bids on the Stock Exchange today:

Amalgamated Copper	105¾
American Tobacco	132
American Sugar	125¾
American Smelting & Refining	4
Anaconda Mining	43¾
A., T. & S. F.	72¼
A., T. & S. F. pfd	93½
Baltimore & Ohio	97½
Baltimore & Ohio pfd	92
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	62¾
Chicago & Alton	37¼
Canadian Pacific	107¾
Canada Southern	73½
Chesapeake & Ohio	43
Chicago & Northwestern	190
Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific	135
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	155¼
Continental Tobacco pfd	112¾
Consolidated Gas	215¼
Colorado Fuel & Iron	94
C. C. C. & St. L.	92½
Delaware & Hudson	160
Denver & Rio Grande	91
Duluth, S. S. & A.	11
Great Northern Railway pfd	180
General Electric	253
Kansas & Texas	26
Kansas & Texas pfd	51
Louisville & Nashville	100¼
Manhattan Elevated	114
Missouri Pacific	99½
Metropolitan Traction	160¼
New York Central	149½
N. Y., L. E & W.	39¼
N. Y., L. E. & W., 2nd pfd	54
N. Y., L. E. & W. 1st pfd	67¾
New York, Ontario & Western	31¾
Pacific Mail	39
Pressed Steel	39
People's Gas	107¾
Philadelphia & Reading	39
Philadelphia & Reading, 1st pfd	73½
Southern Railway	30¼
Southern Railway pfd	85½
Southern Pacific	54¾
Tennessee Coal & Iron	55⅞
Texas Pacific	40
Twin City	99
Leather	12
Leather pfd	78¼
United States Steel	40½
United States Steel pfd	90½
Rubber	17½
Union Pacific	94⅜
Union Pacific pfd	86¾
Wabash	20¼
Wabash pfd	37¼
Western Union	90½
Wisconsin Central	20
Wisconsin Central pfd	40
Commercial Cable	185
C. P. R. in London	112

Money on call, firm at 5 to 10 per cent; last loan, 6 per cent; prime mercantile paper, 5 to 5½ per cent; sterling exchange, heavy, $4.85¼ for demand, and at $4.82¾ for 60 days; posted rates, $4.83 to $4.84 and $4.86 to $4.86½; commercial bills, $4.81¾; bar silver, 58¾; Mexican dollars, 45½; government bonds, weak.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

Chicago, Sept. 13.—The following were the closing prices of futures on the Exchange today: Wheat, Sept., 67¾; Oct., 68¼ to 68⅝; Dec., 70¼. Corn, Sept., 55; Oct., 55½; Dec., 56¾ to 57. Oats, Sept., 34¼; Dec., 35 to 35⅛.

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J. M. COLLISON.
For Nelson Mining Partnership.
July 27th. 1901.

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THE WEATHER.



Meteorological Office, Victoria, Sept. 13.—S p.m.

SYNOPSIS.

The barometric pressure has risen from California northward to British Columbia, and the recent storm area is now central in Manitoba. There are indications of a disturbance approaching Vancouver Island, which if it develops, may cause showery and unsettled weather. Rain has fallen at Kamloops and light showers in Oregon and adjoining States. Temperatures have been normal. In the Northwest rain has fallen at various points and the weather has been chiefly cloudy and moderately warm.

TEMPERATURE.

	Min.	Max.
Victoria	52	62
New Westminster	48	66
Kamloops	..	68
Barkerville	34	50
Calgary	38	62
Winnipeg	46	72
Portland, Ore	54	64
San Francisco	56	76

FORECASTS.

For 24 hours, from 5 a. m. (Pacific time), Saturday:

Victoria and Vicinity: Moderate or fresh winds, partly cloudy, with showers; stationary or higher temperature.

Lower Mainland: Light or moderate winds partly cloudy and warm, with occasional rain.

VICTORIA DAILY RECORD.

Report for 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Observations taken daily at 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m.

FRIDAY, SEPT. 13.

Deg.	Deg.
5 a.m. 53	Mean 57
Noon. 58	Highest 62
5 p.m. 61	Lowest 52

The velocity and direction of the wind were as follows:

5 a.m. 20 miles southwest.
Noon. 20 miles southwest.
5 p.m. 16 miles southwest.

Average state of weather—Partly cloudy.
Rain—.13 inches.
Sunshine—9 hours 30 minutes.
Corrected 30.192

NEW WESTMINSTER.

Barometer at 5 p. m.—Corrected 30.20

Millinery Opening at The White House on Tuesday, Sept. 17. Remember the date.

VICTORIA TIDES.

For the Month of September, 1901.

(Issued by the Tidal Survey Branch of the Department of the Marine and Fisheries, Ottawa.)

The zero of the accompanying scale corresponds to the average lowest yearly tide, and 18.3 feet above the sill of the Esquimalt Dry Dock.

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120 meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot.

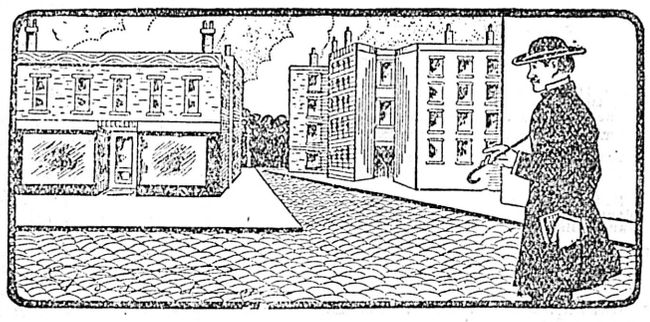
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27	F.	...1 42	7.1	7 53	3.1	13 55	7.5	20 26	3.5
28	Sa	..2 51	7.2	8 34	3.6	14 24	7.8	21 11	2.6
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Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain Indenture of Mortgage, which will be produced at the time of sale, there will be sold by Public Auction on Monday the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1901, at the hour of Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, by Wm. T. Hardaker, at his saleroms, 77 Douglas street, in the city of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, the following property, situate in the said city of Victoria, namely, Lot Three (3), in Sub-Division of Lot Four (4), of part of Sections Twenty-three (23), and Sixty-nine (69), in Victoria District, according to Map No. 607. The property is on the southwest corner of Oak Bay avenue and Mitchell street, and on the same is said to be a two-story frame dwelling house.

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BANK CLEARINGS.

New York, Sept. 13.—The following are the Canadian bank clearings as compiled by Bradstreets for the week ending September 12, with percentages of increases and decreases compared with corresponding week last year: Montreal $18,886,427; increase, 44.4 per cent.

Toronto, $15,586,842; increase, 52.8 per cent. Winnipeg, $2,285,143; increase, 32.9 per cent.

Halifax, $1,567,425; increase, 3.1 per cent. Vancouver, $1,196,085 per cent.; increase, 15.2 per cent. Hamilton, $815,342; increase, 12.1 per cent. St. John, N. B., $915,365; increase, 5 per cent. Victoria, $680,437; increase 6 per cent. Quebec, $1,462,274. Totals, $43,929,066; increase, 40.5 per cent.

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Condor From Behring Sea

Only a Few Sealing Vessels Spoken by the Patrol Cruiser.

A Rumor of Accident to Torpedo Boat Which Proves Untrue.

H. M. S. Condor, which arrived at Comox a couple of days ago from the Behring Sea after completing her patrolling cruises among the Victoria sealers, brings news that bad weather had been encountered for the greater part of the season up to August 20th, and this militated against big catches. But two schooners were boarded by the officers of the Condor, the Annie E. Paint and Arietis, both of which had taken about 250 skins up to August 20th. The schooner R. I. Morse, the smallest schooner of the fleet from Victoria, had been at Dutch harbor and landed one of her crew, Robert McMicking of this city, who was brought down as a passenger on the Condor from Dutch harbor. He was landed for treatment at the hospital at Dutch harbor suffering from blood-poisoning in his finger. The finger was amputated at the United States marine hospital at Dutch harbor. McMicking, who returned to Victoria after being landed at Comox by the Condor is now doing well. W. H. Beglets, an Ontario man who has been prospecting in the Aleutian islands with indifferent success, was another passenger brought down on the Condor; he went to Vancouver.

The Condor sailed from Dutch harbor on September 1, and experienced strong south-east gales on the voyage down, with heavy seas, decreasing the last two days to light northerly winds with slight sea. She entered Queen Charlotte sound on the 8th, and spoke the Egeria at Alert bay en route down the inside passage to Comox, where she remained to put in her firing practice. The Sparrowhawk is also at Comox doing her prize firing, and the Warspite, Phaeton and Amphion are to remain at Esquimalt for the present.

There was an alarming rumor current at Esquimalt on Thursday and yesterday morning to the effect that torpedo boat 39 had been wrecked in Seymour narrows after the fashion of the wreck of a United States gunboat in those waters a number of years ago. The rumor had it that the torpedo boat had broken down and being caught in the fast running current of Seymour narrows had foundered. Fortunately this was soon proved to be a canard. Its origination is not without interest, inasmuch as it shows how little foundation is necessary to start a story going the rounds and how, like a snow ball rolling down hill the story is added to as it goes along until when the rumor passes for fact.

It was on Thursday morning that one of the crew of the flagship came ashore at Esquimalt and told several of the people of the village that he had overheard the report on board that "torpedo boat 39 had gone down." Now if he had listened longer he would have heard the sentence completed announcing that the torpedo boat had gone down from Campbell river to Comox, but as it seemed to him the torpedo boat had been lost, and some people having more imagination than others, details were soon imagined. His auditors passed the story along, and as it traveled the details grew, and when it reached the Colonist the story had it that the torpedo boat which had taken a party to Campbell river to fish had gone to the Seymour narrows and having broken down had been swept into the fast running current and foundered. Torpedo boat 39 is attached to the destroyer Sparrowhawk, which is doing firing practice at Comox, and is due to return to Esquimalt today. She is in charge of sub-Lieut. Bickford, a son of Rear-Admiral Bickford, who has with him a midshipman and about twenty men.

A court-martial was held at Esquimalt yesterday on an able seaman of the Warspite named Wood, who was charged with desertion at Vancouver, where he was arrested and sent back to his ship here with another deserter. Wood was sentenced to 12 months' imprisonment. Some days ago another court-martial was held to try a leading seaman of the Phaeton for having interfered with a sentry while the sentry was engaged in the execution of his duty, and the court sentenced the accused to 12 months' imprisonment. The offence was committed at San Diego during the recent cruise of the Phaeton, according to the tale told on the vessel. The sailor was one of seven prisoners at large on the cruiser when she was anchored at San Diego, they having interfered with an escort which had a prisoner in charge, and realizing that the offence meant court-martial and imprisonment at Esquimalt, so the story goes on the cruiser, they made a break for liberty at San Diego, and six got away, leaving the leading seaman. The whaler was lying at the boom running out from the vessel's side while she was anchored at San Diego and at a given signal the seven made a dash for the whaler. Six managed to reach it, cut it away and escaping pursuit, reached the shore.

HIS VISIT ENDED.

Czar Takes Leave of the Emperor William.

Dantzic, Sept. 13.—After the conclusion of the naval manoeuvres today, Emperor William and Emperor Nicholas took lunch on board the German imperial yacht Hohenzolern. There were no speeches. The monarchs then held a long and animated conversation on deck, after which the Czar bade a cordial farewell to Prince Henry of Prussia and the other German guests, while the Kaiser expressed to Count Lamsdorff his sincere pleasure at having met him. Emperor Nicholas testified to the gratification he had derived from his visit. Then Emperor William accompanied the Czar to the Russian imperial yacht Standart, where he bade him a cordial farewell, after which he returned to the Hohenzolern.

Confidentially, old man, is there a "skeleton in your closet?"

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DATES OF FALL SHOWS.

Kamloops, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, 25th, 26th, 27th September.

Agassiz, Tuesday, 4th September.

New Westminster, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, October 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th.

Wellington, no show.

Langley, Wednesday, 18th September.

Cowichan, Friday and Saturday, 6th and 7th September.

Victoria, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, 1st to 5th October.

Saanich, Friday and Saturday, 27th and 28th September.

Kelowna, 20th and 21st September, Friday and Saturday.

Islands, Wednesday, 25th September.

Surrey, Wednesday, 24th September.

Comox, Thursday, 26th September.

Richmond, Tuesday, Wednesday, 8th and 9th October.

Maple Ridge, Tuesday, 17th September.

Inland, Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 23rd, 24th, 25th September, at Ashcroft.

Nanaimo, Friday and Saturday, September 20th and 21st.

Chilliwack, Wednesday, 25th September, Thursday, 26th, Friday, 27th.

Salmon Arm, Wednesday and Thursday, 18th and 19th September.

Mission, Friday, 20th September.

WILL BE WELL WORTH SEEING

Biggest Nugget Ever Found In North to Be Shown at Victoria.

Jeanne de Lamarre, manager of the Societe Miniere de la Columbie Britannique of Paris, operating an extensive hydraulic plant on Boulder creek, Atlin, will sail for the North by steamship Hating from Vancouver today.

Mr. de Lamarre returns to Atlin to superintend the season's clean-up on his company's property, which will begin on or about the 25th instant.

He informed a Colonist reporter last night that he had made an arrangement with his bankers to place on exhibition at the Victoria fair the monster nugget found on Boulder creek in July, 1900. It weighs 48 ounces 12 pennyweights and 4 grains, and is of pure gold, with no quartz adhering to it. It is worth intrinsically $875, and is the largest nugget ever found in the North. Mr. de Lamarre exhibited it at Paris, where it attracted much attention and served as a good advertisement of the Atlin gold fields. His thoughtfulness in securing it for the Victoria exhibition should be appreciated by the people of this city.

NOVA SCOTIA ELECTIONS.

Conservatives Choose Candidates for Provincial Seats.

Halifax, Sept. 13.—(Special.)—Local Conservatives have nominated J. J. Stewart, editor of the Herald, Ald. A. B. J. J. Crosby, merchant, and Dr. Geo. M. Campbell, as candidates for the city.

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Vancouver Island Building Society

A general special meeting of the Vancouver Island Building Society will be held at the office of the society, 53 Wharf street, Victoria, B. C., at 8 o'clock p. m., on Monday the 16th September, 1901, for the purpose of holding the 118th drawing for an appropriation, and taking action in the matter of the appointment of Auditors.

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